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BIRTHS.

CORCORAN—September 10, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Corcoran, Riversfield, Wexford, a daughter.

MARRIAGE—September 15, 1924, at the Parsonage, Broomfield, Essex, to Llewellyn and Norah E. Marriage (née Goodbody), a son.

MARRIAGES.

BERKERY and SMYTH—September 10, 1924, at the Carmelite Church, Whitefriar street, Dublin, with Nuptial Mass and Papal Blessing, by the Rev. James Rabbette, O.C.C., assisted by the Very Rev. Dean Walsh, Clonmel; the Rev. T. Barry, C.C., Dolphin's Barn; and the Rev. M. Griffin, Terenure College—James J. Berkery (Town Clerk, Clonmel), eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Berkery, Brooklyn terrace, S.C.R., Dublin, to Bridget, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Smyth, Clonmel.

COLE and LAYNG—September 11, 1924, at Methodist Church, Kingstown, by Rev. J. A. Duke, B.A., John Everden, younger son of the late Joseph Everden Cole, Gravesend, Kent, to Gladys, younger daughter of John K. and Gertrude L. Layng, 11 Haddington terrace, Kingstown.

HASTINGS and BECKETT—September 10, 1924, at Zion Church, Rathgar, by the Reverend L. Parkinson Hill, M.A., Samuel H. Hastings, Barrister-at-Law, to Olive, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beckett, of "Ben Inagh," Westfield road, Rathmines.

LEE and ROSSITER—September 10, 1924, at Church of Three Patrons, Rathgar, by the Very Rev. J. Madden, Adm., Ballinasloe, assisted by Rev. T. Hill, George Le Hunt Lee, B.E., County Surveyor East and South Galway, son of J. W. Lee, Esq., Newcastle, Galway, to Mary Vivienne, elder daughter of Dr. T. J. Rossiter, Ballinasloe, and the late Mrs. Rossiter.

O'SHEA and BURKE—August 13, 1924, at the Church of the Holy Family, Aughrim street, Dublin, by the Rev. William Field, C.C., Daniel, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. T. O'Shea, Barraduff, Headford, Killarney, County Kerry, to Mary (Mai), second daughter of Mrs. Burke, The Burgery, Dungarvan, County Waterford.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 4.

BERGIN—September 16, 1924, at his residence, Dublin House, Bri Cualann (Bray), John Bergin, Merchant. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and family and a large circle of friends. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on his soul. Funeral from Church of St. Peter's, Little Bray, at 1.30 o'clock to-day (Thursday) to Little Bray Cemetery.

BOLTON—September 17, 1924, at a Private Nursing Home, Ballsbridge, Maria A., daughter of the late Dr. Atkin, of Rhode, King's County, and widow of the late Richard Bolton, of Wexford, aged 72 years.

CAMPBELL—September 17, 1924, suddenly, at The Hermitage, Sligo, Lieutenant-Colonel James Campbell, D.L., eldest son of the late Harper Campbell, in his 75th year. Funeral 12 o'clock to-morrow (Friday) to St. John's Church, Sligo.

CORNWALL—September 14, 1924, at 11 Avonmor avenue, Mossly Hill, Liverpool, Alfred M. Cornwall, the beloved husband of Seddie Cornwall.

HILLIS—September 5, 1924, at her mother's residence, Coolcull, Taghmon, Wexford, after a long illness, Violet, eldest daughter of John and Margaret Hillis, formerly of Crossmolina, Mayo. "Abide with Me."

JOHNSTON—September 17, 1924, at Springmount, Templemore, Joseph G. Johnston, aged 72 years. Funeral to-morrow (Friday) at 1 o'clock (new time).

KELLY—September 17, 1924, at her residence, 62 Lindsay road (late Claude road), Dublin, Annie, dearly-beloved wife of William Kelly, 14 North Earl street. R.I.P. Funeral arrangements later. No flowers, by request.

McDOWELL—September 15, 1924, at Rostrevor, Mary, widow of the late William McDowell, Tullycahan, Louth. Funeral leaving Rostrevor, by motor, for Ballymancalon, at 12 o'clock to-day (Thursday).

MacMASTER—September 13, 1924, Elizabeth Mary Kirk, wife of Professor MacMaster, 3 College avenue, Londonderry.

MASON—August 25, 1924, suddenly, of heart failure, at his summer residence, 146 Bay View, Atlantic Highland, N.J., Richard (Dick), eldest son of the late John Mason, The Paddock, Colehill, County Longford.

O'BRIEN—September 17, 1924, at the residence of her son-in-law, Elizabeth, widow of late Richard Vincent O'Brien, of 37 Rutland square, Dublin. Funeral to Glasnevin, after 9 o'clock Mass, to-morrow (Friday) at St. John's, Blackrock. No flowers.

VICKERY—September 15, 1924, at Ballywilliam, Kinsale, Ellen Frances, wife of Dr. Vickery, and daughter of the late Dr. Hadden, of Skibbereen. Funeral private. No flowers, please.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mr. and Mrs. Humphreys, of Danesfort, Longford, return sincere thanks to all kind friends who sent letters and telegrams in their recent sad bereavement, and trust they will accept this acknowledgment, as it would be impossible to reply to all individually.

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WANTED, Agent to represent a firm making Artificial Silk Jumpers, Scarves, Ties, etc., in Dublin and the South of Ireland (wholesale only). Address "Z 2339, Agent," this office. 17 O

WANTED, Canvasser (spare time) for Wholesale Tobacconist and Sweets; commission basis.—W 1811, this office.

AGENCIES AND SITUATIONS WANTED.

TRAVELLER, calling on retail, wholesale druggists, confectioners, grocers, chandlers, fancies, desires engagement.—W 1712, this office.

LEGAL APPOINTMENTS.

SHORTHAND Typist, own machine, desires work, legal or otherwise.—W 1822, this office.

WANTED at once for country Solicitor's Office, competent Managing Clerk; also Junior Clerk, with knowledge of shorthand and typing. Address, with copies of references, "Z 2363, Manager," this office.

YOUNG Solicitor Wanted for office in West of Ireland; good salary offered; a partnership might be arranged; can be interviewed in Dublin.—W 1344, this office. 13 D

MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS.

AN experienced Nurse Attendant Companion disengaged October; needlewoman, useful; excellent references. Address "Z 2309, Nurse," this office. 16 F

DISENGAGED Shortly, Junior; six years' good all round experience; Dublin preferred.—M. D., 62 Talbot street, Southport. 17 A

JUNIOR Assistant desires position in City Pharmacy; excellent references. Address "Z 2312, Assistant," this office. 16 F

LADY, Trained Nurse, would Care Invalid by day or night; good reference; terms moderate.—W 1621, this office.

NURSE Companion (R.C.), with hospital experience, disengaged; needlewoman, useful; excellent reference. Address "Z 2329, Nurse," this office. 17 A

RESPECTABLE Woman wishes position as Attendant for invalid lady; can be well recommended.—504, Irish Times Office, Bray. 14 D

WANTED shortly, Two Nurse Attendants, Protestants preferred, surgical case, elderly lady, near Dublin; post copies references, or call Tuesday, 3 o'clock, to A. 135 Stephen's Green. 15 E

WANTED very soon, Ph. Chemist to manage branch; must be experienced, reliable and sober; South West; enclose copies testimonials, etc. Address "Z 2344, Chemist," this office. 17 E

YOUNG Girl, of good appearance, requires position as Dental Attendant or Porteress; excellent reference.—W 1391, this office. 12 O

TUITIONS AND SCHOLARSHIPS.

ALL Professional and University Prelims, Oral and Correspondence. Success lists free.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, Sackville street, Dublin T

A FEW Vacancies in small Private Class for Young Children; individual attention. Particulars, Miss Brayden, 28 Adelaide road. 16 D

BRAY or Neighbourhood—Lady, experienced, desires Tuitions; highest testimonials.—W 1770, this office. 17 X

EXAMS., Professional, Preliminaries, Universities etc.—W. Irvine, B.A., 6 Mountpleasant square Ranelagh.

GERMAN—Native, Grinder, University, Civil Service, Military, Commerce; Translations done.—24 Leinster square, Rathmines. 15 E

GYMNASTIC Teaching as a Career for Women is the subject of a special article in the Students' Page of the "Weekly Irish Times" to-day. F

GENTLEWOMAN, English, requires daily Tuition in Dublin.—W 1815, this office.

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LADY recommends Catholic Nursery Governess; thorough, capable, excellent teacher. Address "Z 2233, Governess," this office. 13 D

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PHOTOGRAPHS of the Staff of Limerick County Committee of Agriculture and of Scholarship Winners at Fermoy are published in the "Weekly Irish Times" to-day. F

RANELAGH—Lady wishes pupil daily at her residence; usual subjects, Music French, Latin.—W 1563, this office. 15 E

SHORTHAND, Typewriting, Bookkeeping, etc.—Metropolitan College (Gillespie's), 100 Lower Mount street. 'Phone 3055. T

SENIOR Freshman, T.C.D., would grind backward Boys under 16; moderate.—W 1433, this office. 13 D

SHORTHAND, Typewriting—Private Tuitions; rapid results; pupils limited.—Murphy, 16 Appian Way. 12 15

SCHOOL Mistress Prepares Boys for Public Schools; afternoon; Pembroke.—W 1655, this office. 16 F

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TUTOR, Graduate, London and Irish experience, Coaches for Public Examinations; recent successes, Civil Service, Trinity Accountants.—W 1480, this office. 15 E

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WHAT to Do to Hear America—Wireless Hints to Ensure Success are given in the "Weekly Irish Times." On sale to-day. Price twopence. F

YOUNG Lady wants post Nursery Governess; teach first lessons, elementary French, needlework.—C. Forbes, Fort Hotel, Greencastle, Co. Donegal. 11 D

YOUNG lady wants position, Nursery Governess; teach first lessons; willing to assist in house.—W 1637, this office. 16 D

YOUNG Lady desires post as Nursery Governess or Companion daily; highest references.—W 1760, this office. 17 E

GOVERNESSES AND TUTORS WANTED.

AGENT FOR GOVERNESSES AND SCHOOLS. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton st., Dublin, Advises Parents and Managers. Tel. No. 5258. T

MUSIC Mistress required in Boys' Preparatory School near Dublin; good experience essential. Address "Z 2301, Mistress," this office. F

PRIVATE Tuition in Shorthand Wanted, also help in Elementary English; state terms.—W 1744, this office. 17 A

TUITION required, North side, for boy, 9 years; first subjects, drawing and French; state terms and references.—W 1798, this office.

WANTED, Principal for Guy's Infant National School, Ballymena; average for two or three assistants. Applications, with testimonials, before 26th September, 1924, to George B. Caruth, Secretary to Governors, Wellington street, Ballymena. 16 E

WANTED, Lady Teacher, R.C., for girl, age 18 years; usual subjects; mornings, Rathgar.—R O 1043, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 16 F

WANTED, at once, first class Protestant Governess, girls 14 and 7; all subjects, music; send testimonials, state salary. Address "Z 2331, Governess," this office. 17 A

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced, presently disengaged, desires position; wholesale or retail business; excellent testimonials.—W 1506, this office. 15 E

BUSINESS Man (retiring) recommends competent Lady Bookkeeper and Typist; Protestant; 30. Address "Z 2284, Bookkeeper," this office. 16 F

CARPENTER will take on all classes of House Repairs; terms moderate; distance no objection.—W 1538, this office. 15 E

CLERK, age 22, male, requires position; seven years' experience.—W 1557, this office. 15 E

CLERK Overseer; used to men's paysheets and office work, care of laboratory and instruments, or any place of trust; life experience; highest references; security.—W 1591, this office. 16 D

CAPABLE young Lady, tact, initiative, desires opening in good office; no salary to commence.—W 1785, this office. 17 E

DRESSMAKER, experienced, ladies' and children's Costumes; own home or out; moderate.—W 1836, this office.

EXPERIENCED Needlewoman would do any kind of Sewing in ladies' houses.—W 1819, this office.

FOREMAN—Smart, energetic young Man, 30, single, with eight years' experience controlling workers, desires post; highly recommended; 14 years last firm; competent and efficient; thorough experience clerical work, all kinds; also knowledge machinery.—W 17.., this office. 17 A

GROCERY and Provisions—Junior Assistant (Female), disengaged; Protestant; four years' experience; recommended. Address "Z 2311, Junior," this office. 16 F

GENTLEWOMAN (Protestant), experienced household duties, dairy, poultry, requires post Housekeeper or Help.—261, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock.

HOUSEKEEPER wishes situation; several years' experience; excellent references.—Box No. 1485, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast.

LADY seeks post, Companion, Help; strong, active; age 19. Address "Z 2314, Companion," this office. 16 F

LADY, middle aged, wishes post, light housework, some cooking, companionable; moderate salary.—Miss Mary S. Hill, "Carrig Brae," Bray. 17 A

LADY, I.C., 24 years, requires immediate employment; willing to do any outdoor work; practical experience with all animals, especially horses; good rider; references exchanged; living wage only expected.—Miss Meredith, Reary Valley, Mountmellick, Queen's County.

PROTESTANT young Man, with five years' clerical experience, good bookkeeper and typist, desires position of trust; highest references, reliable, trustworthy, punctual, energetic.—W 1589, this office. 15 E

PROTESTANT Useful Help desires immediate post, Dublin; would undertake all house duties.—W 1706, this office. 16 D

SHORTHAND Typist—Experienced young Lady, just disengaged, desires post; good knowledge bookkeeping; first class references, legal and otherwise.—W 1545, this office. 15 E

TYPIST or Secretary (Advertiser Manufacturer's Agent) can thoroughly recommend young Lady for above position, or as Office Assistant to Agent.—W 1780, this office.

TWO Girls of good birth desire work in Laundry (outdoor); excellent references.—W 1619, this office.

VIOLINIST—Young Lady desires engagement, Tearooms, Cinemas, etc.; good sight reader; terms moderate.—W 1559, this office. 15 E

WANTED to Apprentice, Boy (16½), Grocery and Bar (indoor), no fee; good school; North or South. Address "Z 2224, Apprentice," this office. 13 D

WANTED, post as Matron or Housekeeper; dairy, fowl, etc.; highest references and experience. Address "Z 2325, Housekeeper," this office. 16 F

WANTED by Lady, with highest references and long experience, post as Matron. Address "Z 2324, Matron," this office. 16 F

YOUNG Lady, secondary education, with sound knowledge bookkeeping, shorthand typist, seeks office position; salary moderate.—W 1417, this office. 13 D

YOUNG Lady seeks position as Shorthand Typist or Bookkeeper, experience; highest references.—W 1434, this office. 13 D

YOUNG Lady, six years' experience, wishes position as Shorthand Typist or Bookkeeper.—W 1514, this office. 15 E

YOUNG Man, well educated, strict TT., with 6 years' experience in motor trade, requires situation as Salesman or Charge Hand; good knowledge of car and motor cycle repairs.—W 1510, this office. 15 E

YOUNG country Lady wishes position, Companion Help to lady; home duties, plain cooking; Catholic; highest references. Address "Z 2290, Help," this office. 16 F

YOUNG Lady, educated and capable, R.C., wishes post as Companion, Help, Housekeeper; or would assist lady in private hotel; good references and experience. Address "Z 2313, Lady," this office. 16 F

YOUNG Lady desires Secretarial post or go as Companion Help; experienced; highest references; disengaged next month. Address "Z 2321, Lady," this office.

YOUNG Girl desires position as Shorthand Typist in City Office; would do Bookkeeping also.—W 1615, this office.

YOUNG Lady wishes post as Companion or Help; reference given.—Companion, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

MALE SERVANTS WANTED.

BOY required, not under 18, help in stables, milk, generally useful. Address, discharges, wages expected (indoor) per year, "Z 2258, Boy," this office. D

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WANTED immediately, Yardman; good milker, no children. Reply, stating wages expected, with house, fire, light, milk.—Colonel Harrison, Johnstown, Straffan. 17 A

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED

MARRIED Couple required for country place; man gardening, some housework; wife cook. Send references and state age and wages expected, Hackett, Riverstown, Birr. 14 D

WANTED, Working Gardener, unmarried, Protestant. Apply Sir William Mahon, Bart., Castlegar, Ahascragh. 13 D

MALE SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

COOK (male), select boardinghouse, or singlehanded private house.—W 1400, this office. 13 D

COLONEL Gardner recommends trustworthy General Man and Gardener; age 26; single; R.C.—Peter McHugh, Kiltoorish, Glenties. 16 F

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GROOM General seeks situation; care motor, generally useful; highly recommended. Apply J. Cooney, Cobbridge, Co. Kildare. 16 F

GENERAL Man wants situation, married; good knowledge gardening, good milker; well recommended. Address W 1635, this office. 16 D

GROOM, thoroughly understands care of hunters, brood mares, foals, breaking.—Corcoran, Athboy, Meath. 16 F

GENERAL Man, married, Protestant, one in family, gardener; highly recommended. Address "Z 2355, Man," this office. 17 E

HERD, married, seeks situation; can be highly recommended. Apply James McGovern, Daily's Grove, Dunboyne.

MAN Wanting a situation; help in stables, garden, make himself generally useful; well recommended. Address "Z 2296, Man," this office. 16 D

PLOUGHMAN and General Farm Labourer, understands all farm work and machinery, married, no family; highly recommended. Address "Z 2310, Man," this office. 16 D

RESPECTABLE Married Man requires situation as General Farmhand; thoroughly understands the business.—W 1611, this office. 16 F

RESPECTABLE married Man (R.C.) seeks situation; Herd, Shepherd, Caretaker, or Manager; highest references. Address "Z 2282, Man," this office. 16 F

RABBIT Trapper wants employment on gentleman's estate by the couple; life experience; first class man; can be well recommended. Address Robert M'Sorly, 6 M'Alpine street, Glasgow.

SEN. Mod., M.A., Trinity, takes Pupils, Classics; Rathmines.—W 1795, this office. 17 E

YOUNG Man wants situation as House Worker; can cook, clean motor, boots.—W 1438, this office. 13 D

YARDMAN, good milker, calf rearer; Wife excellent butter maker; if required would help on farm; no incumbrance.—W 1443, this office. 15 E

YOUNG married Man, English, with no family, seeks situation as Yardman or Groom, making himself generally useful; good references; would go to England. Address "Z 2362, Man," this office.

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS DISENGAGED.

ELDERLY Couple disengaged (Protestants), seek situations (indoor) as Gardener or Caretaker, Wife run small house.—Hawker's Agency, Limerick.

EXPERIENCED Visiting Governess required, morning hours, one child, near Kingstown; excellent music, French, elocution, and usual English subjects essential. Replies, with copies of references and stating salary, to "Z 2352, Governess," this office. 17 A

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WANTED situation as Gardener and General Man; milk if required; long and satisfactory discharges. Apply Barry's Hotel, Rathdrum, Co. Wicklow. 15 E

DOMESTICS WANTED.

CAN any Lady recommend strong, willing Girl to act as Betweenmaid; must have some knowledge of cooking and general housework; four in family; four maids kept. Address "Z 2351, Maid," this office. 17 A

HELPS—Wanted, two, reliable, gentleman's house, all work; country; every convenience; £25. Address "Z 2218, Helps," this office. 13 D

WORKING Housekeeper Wanted by single gentleman; must be good cook. Replies to state age, experience and salary expected.—W 1675, this office. 11 F

WANTED, a strong, willing little Girl as General Help, with plain homely people; one with little training, not out before might suit.—W 1607, this office. 16 F

WANTED, Daily Help or good General; morning hours.—R O 1026, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 16 D

WANTED, respectable Woman to help with toy dogs, fowl, etc.; must be well recommended; good wages to suitable person.—Miss Woods, Greenmount, Clonsilla. 16 F

WANTED, smart Domestic, indoor. Apply, after seven, 45 Upper Kenilworth Park, Terenure.

WANTED, Protestant Domestic Help, good cook; two in family; help given; state salary, particulars. Address "Z 2354, Help," this office. 17 A

WANTED, Working Housekeeper or good General; good wages to suitable person.—W 1801, this office. 17 E

YOUNG Girl, about 15, required assist general housework and help mind baby (8 months); Ranelagh district.—W 1430, this office. 13 D

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A GOOD Cook General, R.C., Wanted first week October; a respectable, trustworthy person; send copies papers.—W 1636, this office. 16 F

A COOK General required immediately; must be trustworthy and highly recommended. Apply, with references, Mrs. Hurte, Kildare. 16 E

COOK (singlehanded); small family; £45-£50; 2 other maids.—Beldam, St. Mary's road, Surbiton, Surrey. 13 X

EXPERIENCED Cook General, House Parlourmaid and Housemaid required, October 8th; small family; country town near London; send copies, photo, wages required and particulars of experience to Madam, White House, Weybridge, Surrey. 15 E

GOOD young R.C. Cook Wanted immediately for Baymount Preparatory School, Dollymount. Tel. ...; good references essential. 16 F

IRISH Lady, returning to England, wishes to take back young Girl to be trained Cook General; must be well recommended; state age, religion and wages expected.—W 1773, this office 17 A

WANTED immediately, Cook General and House Parlourmaid for Surrey; R.C.; state wages, etc. Address "Z 2215, General," this office. 13 D

WANTED, at once, experienced Cook General and House Tablemaid; R.C.; state age, wages and references.—Mrs. Watson, 21 The Circus, Bath. 15 E

WANTED, plain Cook General, Co. Kilkenny; dairy, poultry, wages £18; also Maid, train House Parlourmaid, wages £10; farmer's daughters preferred; reference. Address "Z 2303, Cook General," this office. 16 F

WANTED, good Cook General; must be young, understand dairy; country girl preferred.—Carson, Mendon, Swords. 16 F

WANTED, 6th October, young Cook General; quiet country place. Apply Mrs. Medlycott, Portlaw, Co. Waterford. 17 A

WANTED, capable Cook General; good wages for good references; two in family. Apply between 6 and 8 p.m. only, to 27 Castlewood avenue, Rathmines.

WANTED, experienced Cook (R.C.) and Kitchenmaid for England.—Registry (over Singer's), Grafton st.

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GENERALS WANTED.

A YOUNG General Wanted.—6 Belgrave square, Rathmines. 13 D

A YOUNG General, immediately; small family; washing. Apply, after 11 o'clock, 11 Claremont Villas, Glenageary, Co. Dublin. 17 A

CAPABLE General for Leeson Park; small family; nurse kept; good references.—W 1649, this office. 16 D

DALKEY—Wanted, General, to train; family two; wages £12.—D. W., Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 16 F

EXPERIENCED General Wanted; good cook, no washing; quiet country place; one lady; copies, age, wages. Address "Z 2333, General," this office. 17 E

GENERAL Wanted, age about 18 or 20; must be clean and smart. Apply by letter only, Mrs. McGuire, Cambridge House, Rathmines, Dublin. 15 D

GENERAL, R.C., young; experienced necessary. Apply, before 2 p.m., 4 Sandford Parade, Ranelagh. 16 D

GOOD General Wanted, 13th October, family two, quiet, comfortable place, on tram line, near Palmerston Park.—W 1613, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 16 F

GENERAL Wanted, young, fond of children; washing, plain cooking. Call, after six, 28 Villiers road (off Highfield road), Rathgar. 16 D

GENERAL Servant Wanted; two in family; good cook; washing; vicinity Baggot street.—W 1726, this office.

GOOD General Wanted; must have good references. Apply after 11, 50 Edenvale road, Ranelagh.

GENERAL Wanted; plain cook, laundress; early riser; good wages and outings. Call, 4 to 7, to-day or Friday, 29 Kenilworth square, Rathgar.

RELIABLE General or Mother's Help, Dublin; small, modern villa; good outings; state wages, references.—W 1794, this office.

RATHGAR—Experienced General required, most evenings free; state wages, references.—W 1799, this office.

RESPECTABLE young General Wanted for small family in Belfast. State age, religion and wages expected to Box No. 1484, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 17 E

STRONG capable General required, small family.—5 Belgrave Park, Charleston road, Rathmines.

WANTED, General, good plain cook; must be well recommended. Call, 2 to 3 or after 7 p.m., 9 Belgrave road, Monkstown. 15 E

WANTED, settled Protestant General, plain cooking, small dairy, help given; state age, wages, references; no laundry.—Mrs. Roe, Vesington, Dunboyne. 15 E

WANTED, experienced General Servant; plain cooking, washing; good home; substantial help given; wages £26; Clonskeagh district; best references necessary.—W 1673, this office. 16 F

WANTED, experienced General; must be a good cook. Apply, after 6 o'clock, Glenthorn, Sandford road. 16 F

WANTED, on 25th September, experienced General, good plain cook; good references essential; three in family; small washing; wages £26.—Coubrough, Templeogue Lodge, Templeogue. 16 F

WANTED, good General, nice appearance, business place; well recommended; indoor; country girl preferred.—H N., Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 16 D

WANTED, young General. Apply, after 7 o'clock, evening, 31 Villier's road.

WANTED, experienced General; good cook; help given; no washing; good wages. Send copies Neil Watson, Cualann, Bray road, Foxrock.

WANTED, smart young General, two in family. Call Thursday, 25 Windsor road.

WANTED, young General, at 31 Upper Baggot street. Call 1 to 2; bring references.

YOUNG General Wanted, small family. Call, 5 to 6, or write, 17 Fitzwilliam terrace, Rathmines. 17 E

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

AN experienced House Parlourmaid (R.C.) Wanted immediately, Dalkey; first class references only.—W 1509, this office. 15 E

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HOUSEMAID Wanted, some washing, four in family, two other maids. Send copies, stating age, wages.—Mrs. Hill, Clanaboy, Lucan. 16 D

HOUSE Parlourmaid Wanted immediately; state age, wages, send copies discharges; small family.—Mrs. McNeile, Dunsinea, Castleknock, Co. Dublin.

PARLOURMAID, or experienced House Parlourmaid, Wanted now; family 4 and servants 3; wages £30 to £36; state age, religion and references.—Mrs. B., Red House, Sherborne, Dorset. 16 D

WANTED, for Brighton, an experienced House Parlourmaid.—B 114, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 13 D

WANTED, Housemaid, single handed; 3 in family; good needlewoman; copies, age, wages expected.—Crofton, Ashford, Co. Wicklow. 16 F

WANTED, at once, for Co. Leitrim, experienced House Parlourmaid; place close to church and chapel. State age, wages, and send papers to La Touche, Beech Cottage, Dromahair. 16 F

WANTED, House Parlourmaid (housemaid also kept), doctor's house. Apply, letter only, Mr. Wright, Ulverton, Dalkey. 16 F

WANTED, by 23rd, young House Parlourmaid, trained or partly trained; recommended; Rathgar district; family five; help given; no children; good outing. Apply with copies references, W 1788, this office

WANTED for City, young willing House Parlourmaid; must understand duties.—W 1769, this office.

NURSES WANTED.

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EXPERIENCED Nurse Wanted at once for three children, ages 6, 3 and 14 months; help given and nurseries waited on; must be well recommended. Apply, with copies of discharges and salary expected, to Mrs. Dove, Newpark, Kilkenny. 17 E

NURSE Wanted; suburbs; infant from month and child of four years.—W 1787, this office. 17 A

REFINED Mother's Help for three children. Apply, with references, 61 Grosvenor square, Rathmines. 16 F

WANTED, young Girl as Nurse Housemaid; cook general and nurse kept. Apply Stratford, Terenure road. 15 E

WANTED, superior young Children's Maid for one child; sewing and light washing. Apply, with copies, W 1505, this office. 15 E

WANTED, capable Young Girl, care of children (3 and 5 years), help little housework and sewing. Apply, with references, Nicholson, Roseville, Glasnevin. 15 E

YOUNG Girl Wanted by doctor's wife to assist with children; Protestant preferred; experience not necessary; uniform provided. Address "Girl," Wm. Porteous and Co., Glasgow.

KITCHEN, LAUNDRY, ETC., WANTED.

WANTED at once, Kitchenmaid for Monkstown; £24.—Keegan's, Upper George's street, Dun Laoghaire.

DOMESTICS DISENGAGED.

A LADY can recommend a very respectable, elderly Woman as sole Servant to lady in flat; early riser, obliging; very plain cook; wages £36. Address "Z 2328, Domestic," this office. 17 E

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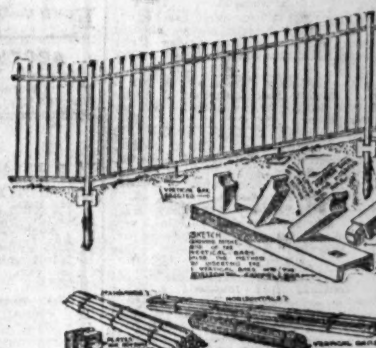

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WOMAN AND HER HOME.

DAMP WALLS.

DAMP walls arise from a number of causes, and their treatment varies in each case. On the freshly plastered walls of new houses and on old walls which have been patched wallpaper refuses to adhere or, alternatively, becomes discoloured. The remedy lies in coating the plaster with a solution of methylated spirits (two quarts) in which has been dissolved one pound of brown shellac and an ounce of resin. Apply with an old but clean brush, and give a second coat if the work does not set fairly evenly. When dry, paper the wall with the selected pattern, which will be found to adhere evenly. It is advisable not to select patterns of paper incorporating delicate tints.

Frequently a wall is kept in a perpetual state of dampness by rain beating on the outside of porous brickwork. The wet percolates through and ruins the wallpaper in the adjacent rooms. In this case the spirit solution mentioned above may not prove sufficiently impervious. Apply naphtha, two quarts, in which has been dissolved a pound of brown shellac. The only drawback to this medium is that it has a most unpleasant odour, something akin to that of the white balls used for destroying moths. The solution, however, is a good germicide.

In the case of damp being caused by defective gutters, it is necessary first to attend to the gutters, but where these have long been out of repair the mortar may be washed away from between the surrounding brickwork. Not until the brick courses have been pointed with cement will the wall become dry and remain so.

It often happens that certain outside walls of a house are damp from the ground to a few feet upwards. When this is the case give a facing of cement to the affected area. First nail a wooden rail around the wall just above the limit line of the part to be faced, and, if the stretch to be covered is long, run three or four equidistant vertical rails from the ground to the horizontal rail. Now wet the whole of the surface and apply roughly a preliminary coat of fairly stiff cement and sand. When this has been partially, but not thoroughly, dried put on a finishing coat as flat as can be managed with a trowel. When hard remove the guide rails and fill in the vertical strips with cement.

If the ground around the brickwork is soft dig away to the depth of a foot at least and extend the cement work as far down as practicable.

When the walls of a house are considerably damp, local treatment may prove of little use, and in such cases a new damp course offers the only real remedy. This, however, is not work suitable for an amateur.

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RECIPES FOR THE COOK.

SAUCE MAKING.

The excellence of many dishes depends entirely upon sauce. A good sauce will transform the most homely fare into something appetising, and cause it to be eaten with relish. A white sauce is the foundation of many sauces, and it is best at first to commence to understand thoroughly the making of this.

WHITE SAUCE.

Ingredients. — One ounce butter, one ounce flour, half to one pint milk or white stock, pepper and salt, and a squeeze of lemon juice.

Method.—Melt the butter in a saucepan, add the flour, blend well together with a wooden spoon, and cook for a minute or two without browning. Draw the pan from the fire, pour in the liquid, and then stir over the fire until boiling. Add seasoning and simmer at least five minutes. Add the lemon juice when the sauce is off the boil.

The best kind of saucepan to use is a well-lined enamelled one, and it should be thoroughly clean, as the sauce would be very easily tainted.

THICKENING.

The basis of most white sauces is butter and flour cooked together, which make a thickening.

It is important to cook these together for a minute or two before pouring on the liquid; this not only helps to blend them, but it gives the sauce a glossy appearance.

THE LIQUID.

This is always either milk or white stock. Before adding the liquid the thickening should be allowed to cool a minute or two, otherwise the sauce is apt to become lumpy. It may then be returned to the heat, and the contents stirred with a wooden spoon until it reaches boiling point. The amount of liquid added depends on the purpose for which the sauce is to be used. If it is required for coating it should be made thick enough to coat the back of the spoon, but if meant for pouring round a dish it should be thin enough to flow easily without lumping.

A white sauce can be made more tasty by using seasoned milk instead of plain milk. Put as much milk as required into a saucepan, with a small quantity of carrot, turnip, onion and celery, a few parsley stalks, one or two cloves, and a small blade of mace. Let this stand by the side of the fire to infuse, then strain, and cool before using. White stock made from veal, rabbit or chicken may be used in place of some milk when making sauce for a meat dish. Fish stock made from bones and trimmings of fish is the best liquid to use for fish dishes.

TO MAKE THE SAUCE RICHER.

A simple white sauce will always be improved by having an extra amount of butter put in at the last. This should be added in small pieces, and stirred until it is melted.

Another way of enriching the sauce is by the addition of a little cream or one or two yolks of eggs. When adding yolks of eggs the sauce should be removed from the fire, and the yolks stirred in very quickly.

VARIATIONS ON THE WHITE SAUCE.

By using the above simple formula and adding some distinctive flavouring, many different sauces can be made.

BECHANIEL SAUCE.

Use seasoned milk for the liquid and add a little cream.

VELOUTE SAUCE.

Use chicken or veal stock for the liquid and a little cream.

ANCHOVY OR SHRIMP SAUCE.

To half pint white sauce, made with fish stock and milk, add one teaspoonful anchovy or of shrimp essence.

CAPER SAUCE.

To half pint white sauce, made with fish stock or meat liquor, add one tablespoonful chopped capers and one tablespoonful of vinegar.

CHEESE SAUCE.

To half pint white sauce add two tablespoonfuls grated cheese and a little made mustard. Stir in an extra piece of butter before serving.

PARSLEY SAUCE.

Add some very finely chopped parsley to the white sauce.

SWEET SAUCE.

Omit the seasoning from the white sauce, and add sugar and flavouring.

HINTS THAT HELP.

HOW many housekeepers are competent judges of fresh eggs or fish? In judging the former you should notice that a fresh egg has a lime-like surface; stale eggs are glossy and smooth of shell. Firmness of the flesh and clearness of the eyes are the great criteria of any fish being fresh and good. Fresh fish also lie in a slightly curved position and never quite straight. Herrings and cod are known by the redness of their gills and clearness of the eyes.

Some people are not always careful to drain the water from vegetables as soon as they are cooked. Others do not know that potatoes should never be put on a table in a covered dish; they will reabsorb their own moisture and become sodden. It is also well to know that if you rub the hands on celery after using onions the smell will disappear.

The medicinal properties of vegetables are not always appreciated. Celery is good for nervousness, rheumatism and neuralgia. Lettuce is cooling and sleep-producing, and asparagus purifies the blood. Tomatoes act on the liver, while beets and turnips are excellent appetisers. Potatoes should be avoided by those inclined to be stout; but peas, broad-beans and haricots are positively strengthening. Onions, garlic, leeks and shalots all possess medicinal virtues of a marked character, while onions eaten raw are recommended as a remedy for insomnia.

Apples are also said to possess great medicinal values, especially for persons of sedentary habits. Apples and pears cut into quarters, stripped of the rind, baked with a little water and sugar, and eaten with boiled rice are capital food for children. Another hint worth noting is to scald rhubarb before cooking it. It then takes much less sugar and yet loses none of its acid.

Great improvement will be found in tea and coffee if they are kept in glass fruit-jars instead of tin boxes. The flavour of this favourite beverage is easily spoiled by the vicinity of any articles of pronounced odour, such as cheese, bacon, etc. Not everybody knows how to preserve drawn beer. Cover over the vessel containing it with a saucer or plate; place a couple of raisins, a little sugar or a few grains of rice into it. This generates the desired effervescence.

Stains of every description may be removed from silk, linen or woollen stuffs. Mix a wineglassful of rectified spirits of turpentine with half a teaspoonful of essential oil of lemons, and preserve the mixture in a well-stopped bottle. Apply a little on the stain with a bit of silk. The colours of the fabric will sustain no injury from the application.

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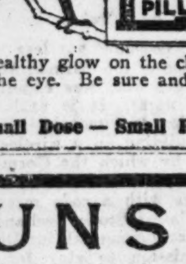

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IRISH CATTLE SALE AT READING.

A SUCCESSFUL ENTERPRISE.

The first sale of Irish heifers and store cattle under the new co-operative scheme formulated by the Country Gentlemen's Association and the National Farmers' Union of Ireland was conducted at Reading yesterday, and was completely successful. Buyers, who came from all over the country, were welcomed by the Mayor of Reading, Alderman Cox. Over six hundred head of cattle were disposed of at an average of £18, the total proceeds of the sale exceeding £11,000.

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FARMING REVIEW

FOUR POINTS FOR FARMERS.

ORGANISATION, SELF HELP, ENTERPRISE, AND INSURANCE.

It may reasonably be assumed that when the Oireachtas assembles next month the Government will begin to put into operation those aspects of its policy foreshadowed a few months ago by the Minister for Agriculture, and that a tightening up of the conditions under which our butter and eggs are being marketed—the latter provided for in one Act already passed, the former being due for settlement in another—will follow. Bacon and beef will, no doubt, receive in due course similar attention. It is a reasonable inference that, item by item, those farming exports, which form between them the largest elements in our national wealth, will become the subject of such enactments as the authorities and their advisers think expedient. It is, further, a matter rather of deduction that the various public bodies to which the farmer looks for light and leading, will do their part in enabling him to put through the programmes which the Legislature decides are necessary in the national interest and the Ministry proceed to administer for the farmers' benefit.

Self-Reliance Development.

Now, whilst this is a matter of urgent national necessity, it is not free from danger. The danger, of course, is that farmers may begin to rely too much on extraneous aids for progressive development of their industry. When the State and the public bodies, working together, do all that is calculated to organise Irish farm produce to the best advantage, there remains more which the farmer can do for himself than all the other political and economic influences working on his behalf. Indeed, it may be fairly said that the forces we have alluded to cannot act at all except through him, and with his active co-operation. The Farmers' Union may influence their branches to incline to modern economic ideas; the I.A.O.S. may organise them into creameries or egg and poultry societies; the Ministry may register such societies and lay down conditions entitling them to adopt a national brand or to the use of valuable services of inspection and advice; but, unless the farmer himself puts his will and intelligence into the work, little or nothing can come of it. Discipline is valuable only for those who will voluntarily and efficiently apply it, and no amount of dragooning, if such should ever be applied under, say, some collectivist or fascist system of the future, will ever prove an effective substitute for cordial participation on the part of the farm workers of Ireland in the schemes they are asked to adopt. Indeed, more is needtd than skilled and intelligent action in the directions suggested by governmental or other public agencies. Direct enterprise, vigorous initiative, hard thinking are wanted no less.

We believe that we see the beginnings of these already in Ireland, and we see in them greater hope than in the ornamental, but also useful, successes of the Tailteann Games. The boat which carried 560 beasts from Waterford for thirty consignors has, perhaps, also carried with her the best claim of this country for credit amongst business people as a centre for enterprise than any activity noted in the Press since the subscribing of the National Loan. The renewal of their enterprise, which is, we understand, being worked up to by "Irish Co-operative Meat, Ltd.," should provide similar evidence that the Irish farmers do not intend to spend their days watching the weeds grow or even watching their pigs grow fat, while the price (so far as it comes back to them) grows thin.

Nor are these enterprises confined to one district. Farmers elsewhere are, we have good reason to think, vigilantly observing what others are doing with a view to doing likewise, and we shall not be surprised if more than one centre of farming activity proceeds to tackle such aspects of the transit problem as may prove more soluble to combined action than to isolated complaints.

Insurance for Farmers.

As we have suggested, success in such schemes is bound immensely to develop the credit of the nation. Nor is there any inevitable reason why they should not succeed. It has been the fault of Irishmen of all classes that they have lacked faith in themselves even when they have not lost normal confidence in each other. Such lack of confidence is hardest of all to restore, and we hope that no temporary set-back, should any come, will discourage those who are seeking to involve the farming industry with new *morale*. We have no reason whatever to anticipate failure, but occasional failure is, at worst, only to be regarded as an incident in ultimate success. Knowing, however, the traditional caution of the Irish farmer and how seriously an incidental loss may depress him, we would urge on him the importance of balancing enterprise with foresight. Now, in business affairs, foresight is largely a matter of intelligent insurance. It has seemed remarkable to us that, with a shrewdness amounting sometimes to a short-sighted timidity, so few Irish farmers realise the importance of guarding against probable losses. In France and elsewhere there are forms of insurance happily unnecessary in Ireland—against the destruction of certain crops by hail or of the grape vines by microbial disease. Why do not we—and why do not our insurance agencies—take an equal interest in the natural risks incident to our own crops? It is a question which should come home to everyone at a time when weather conditions still point to a diminution in our harvests.

Schemes Adopted Elsewhere.

Perhaps the small farming of the country is an element in this lack of foresight. Men who feel they have little to lose seldom care to lessen their little by insurance. We fear another is the view, too often taking by imperfectly educated men, that insurance is useless unless the element of risk amounts to a virtual certainty of loss!—at which point, naturally, rates become prohibitive. Efforts at live stock insurance lead sometimes to a disclosure of mind on the part of a stock owner tantamount to a decision not to insure against disease until disease arrives! Nor do we think the principle of mutuality—or co-operation, if the word be preferred—has been properly examined. We believe there is a useful scheme working in a small way in Northern Ireland. We have just seen a prospectus of an English co-operative society which is certainly attractive, and there has been, we believe, a good deal of useful work done by the big clubs in Lancashire. But, even in Great Britain, it is near the truth, and in Ireland we think it is literally true, to say that farming mutual insurance has never been given a chance. We rejoice in new enterprises as the proof of new energy, but would like to see it complemented (as we do not doubt was done in the Waterford boat) by ample insurance.

THINGS THAT MATTER.

Donegal County Executive of the Irish Farmers' Union condemn the local County Council for not making effective the provisions of the Rates on Agricultural Land Act.

No material change has been made in the agricultural schemes for Co. Kildare for the coming season. Premiums for shorthorn, Aberdeen Angus, and Hereford bulls will be at the maximum figure, £18, while those for pure bred registered dairy bulls will stand at £25 and £22.

On to-morrow and on the 29th inst. Northern farmers will have an opportunity of inspecting the potato-growing experiments being carried out at Stormont, Belfast.

It is estimated that a sum of £1,540 will be required for the schemes adopted by the Louth County Committee of Agriculture for the coming year. For the horticultural scheme the sum required is £335.

Members of the Irish Farmers' Union and County Committees of Agriculture are strongly in favour of a conference in connection with the price and marketing of barley.

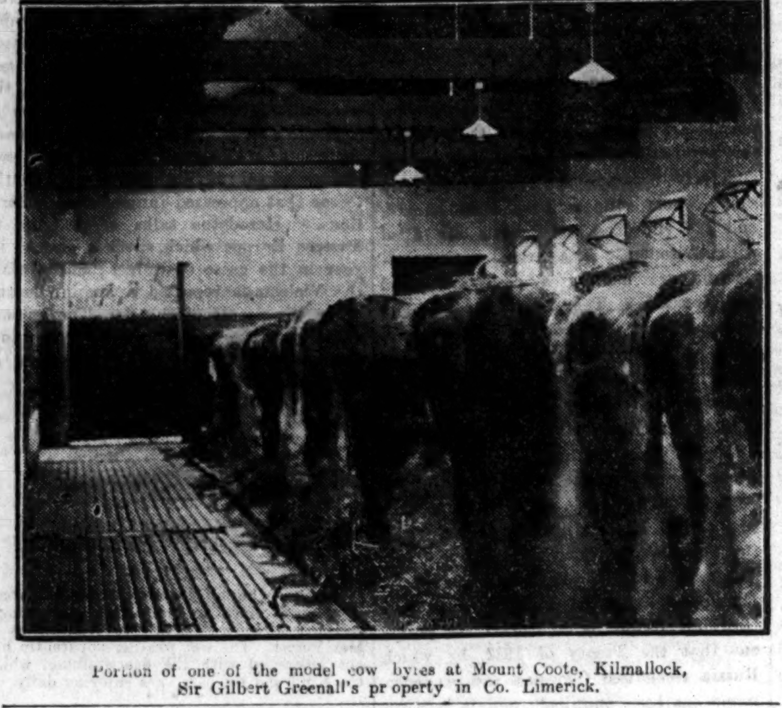
The number of cattle consigned as stores and landed in Great Britain between the beginning of April and the end of August last year was 20,868, whilst this year the number landed since 1st January has been 18,836, of which only 787 arrived before the end of March. In both years an appreciable number have been slaughtered in the landing places, and the number licensed out for further feeding was 13,050 in 1923 and 13,151 this year.

TIPPERARY COW-KEEPERS' ASSOCIATION.

Photo by] [Keshan, Dungarvan.

Members of the Tipperary Cow Keepers' Association, to the number of 200, visiting Mount Melleray, where they inspected the herd of Shorthorn dairy cows and the general farming operations. Included in group are Messrs W. F. H. Watson, F. N. Grene, J. N. Fryday, P. C. Ryan, Sheehy (Organiser), P. O'Donnell, Hon. Secretary I.D.S.B.S. (Co. Tipperary); P. J. Halliden, Hon. Secretary I.D.S.B.S.; M. J. Cronin, Hon. Secretary North Cork I.D.S.B.S.

A MODERN COW BYRE.



Portion of one of the model cow byres at Mount Coote, Kilmallock, Sir Gilbert Greenall's property in Co. Limerick.

A NOTED LIMERICK DAIRY HERD.

MOUNT COOTE, KILMALLOCK.

Famous in the past as a centre of military importance, Kilmallock is now remarkable as the home of a valuable herd of recorded dairy shorthorns. This is located on Sir Gilbert Greenall's well wooded property at Mount Coote, where there are at present no fewer than twelve one-thousand gallon cows. These big-framed, shapely matrons, grazing on their autumn pastures, make a perfect picture. They have beautiful udders and well-shaped teats, showing clear evidence of careful selection, and constitute a strong attraction to those in search of heavy milking cows. This herd comprises 90 head, including young stock, and is worthy of inspection. The two stock bulls are home-bred. One is the useful roan, Loobagh Ranger, whose dam gave 1,000 gallons of milk with her first calf, 1,100 with her second, and looks like doing 1,600 gallons with her next. Apart from her record, she is a great cow to look at.

The next bull, Loobagh Fidgetty Boy 4th, is of good type, with thousand-gallon cattle on each side of his pedigree, his dam being Kingsthorpe Fidget II. In one paddock, during a recent visit, the writer saw twelve promising heifers of nice shapes and quality, chiefly out of thousand-gallon cows, while there were also in evidence twenty-three promising heifers, eighteen months to two years old, some of them in calf. All of these cattle are subjected to the tuberculin test, and any that fail to pass are isolated. As a rule, the proportion of reactors is exceedingly small. In winter the dairy cows are brought in at night, but the heifers remain in the open all the year round, the ample shelter provided by woodlands making climatic conditions very equable.

The fact that cows are calving all the year round largely accounts for the fame of Sir Gilbert Greenall's property as a centre of dairying activity.

The milk produced is made into butter and cheese for home consumption—butter being manufactured throughout the year and cheese during the summer, when the milk flow is heavy. For these operations a model dairy, with modern equipment, is provided, an electric motor driving the separator and pasteuriser.

None of the dairy stock are fed for showing. The object is to keep up the high level of milk-yielding capacity which the herd has attained since its foundation, and in doing this the owner has succeeded.

Being too heavy for tillage, the land here has now been laid down, and the grass has fattening properties which are almost too good for dairy stock. For winter feeding silage is made in a stack, and roots can be purchased locally. At present there are 180 bullocks being fattended for the market.

The farm buildings represent the last word in structures of this description. They are built of native stone or concrete blocks made on the estate, and all well lighted, electricity being the illuminant at night. Cow byres with a capacity for stalling forty cows are equipped with Musgrave fittings; water is laid on for drinking and for cleaning purposes, and the grooved concrete flooring is kept spotlessly clean.

Adjoining the engine room, with its 20 h.p. oil engine, which drives all the machinery and also helps to make the electric light, is a well-appointed saw mill, while overhead is a loft containing food-preparing machinery. A ram down by the river Loobagh drives water into a tower which supplies the whole estate, every field having its tank of the necessary liquid. In addition to the oil engine, a turbine is used for generating electric light. Where this is located, by the lakeside in front of Sir Gilbert's mansion, there is a beautiful rock garden, which seems to have been planted there by nature.

The system of drainage adopted is very complete. All sewage is conveyed into septic tanks and emptied into the river about a mile away from the house. By that time it is absolutely inocuous.

The two lofty all-iron hay barns are now stocked with a bountiful crop of well-saved hay, while in the spacious covered cattle court are a number of young stock.

For the men who attend to the thoroughbred horses now in England there are comfortable bothies and a recreation hall, which contains, amongst other things, a wireless receiving set. In connection with the herd, employment is provided for fifty men, all local residents, and this is a matter of some importance in a district like Kilmallock.

Through his resident agent, Mr. H. M. Fildes, Sir Gilbert Greenall is a strong supporter of every enterprise which has for its object the benefit of the community, and thus he has secured the confidence and friendship of the people. One evidence of his generous help is provided by the local Agricultural Show, which is so successful every year.

FISH MEAL FOR PIG-FEEDING.

With reference to a statement made by Ballymena farmers that the use of fish meal is having a disastrous effect upon the Northern pork industry, attention may be directed to the pig feeding experiments which have been conducted in Great Britain and Ireland.

From these it would appear that white fish meal, if made entirely from the heads, bones and flesh of white fish, produces no taint in pork, bacon, milk, eggs, or chicken flesh. Other fish meals may taint bacon, but this can be avoided if no fish meal be fed during an interval of four weeks before killing. As a supplement to grains, grain offal, and potatoes, fish meal is excellent, because it provides protein and mineral matters, in both of which these foodstuffs are deficient. It is of special value for growing animals, and the great thing about it is to feed in moderation.

There are two distinct kinds of fish meal—white fish meal, made from the residues of white fish only. This is lightish brown in colour, and contains a comparatively small percentage of oil. Herring meal is generally sold as a fertiliser (i.e., fish guano). It has a stronger smell, contains more oil than white fish meal, and is usually dark brown in colour. Exhaustive experiments on the question of taint, carried out by the Rowett Research Institute, have resulted in no special taste or smell being detected by either bacon curers or cook that would indicate that the pigs had been fed on fish meal. In comparing the financial results, it was found that fish meal-fed pigs left £1 per pig more profit than those receiving oatmeal in their ration.

During an experiment carried out at Lancashire Co. Council farm, the effect of fish meal on the health and well-being of pigs was emphasised. In this experiment, of six pigs getting no fish meal, three became so lame that they had to be killed and the three others were going in the same way. These pigs were then given fish meal, and gradually lost their stiffness and made good progress until they were sold fat. The pigs getting fish meal throughout showed no signs of stiffness, and made progress all through until sold fat at ten months old. In both cases the fish meal was discontinued during the last six weeks of fattening.

The quantity of fish meal that may be fed with advantage to pigs ranges from one-ninth of the total dry food rising in the last month to more than 1lb. per head daily.

Fish meal may also be fed with good results to poultry, but the proportion should not be more than one-twentieth of the whole diet in the case of chickens, and one-tenth in the case of adult fowls.

In the course of a recent speech, Mr. E. M. Archdale, M.P., Minister for Agriculture in Northern Ireland, said that there had been a good many complaints in the Northern Counties in regard to the feeding of pigs. They could fatten the pigs on fish meal and cod-liver oil, but if pigs got too much oil in their systems the bacon was ruined.

RABBIT-KEEPING FOR FUR.

In a leaflet in the subject of rabbit keeping for fur, the Rural Industrials Intelligence Bureau, discussing the choice of stock, says:

"It is best to start with only two does and a buck of one of the good varieties—Chinchilla, Argenté de Champagne, Blue Beveren, Havanas and Black Alaskas. The novice should start with one variety only, and get to know this first. Later on it may be desirable to keep two or three varieties, on account of changes in fashion. Rabbits suitable for fur production can be obtained from existing fur-breeders in Great Britain, whose advertisements will be found in *Fur and Feather*, or in the Fur Board's Price List and Register (see address below). . . . Good does from six months old can generally be bought, mated if desired, for about 2 to 3 guineas."

Referring to prices and market requirements, the leaflet states:—

"The price at which the pelt can be sold depends upon the quality and variety; and we should emphasise here that only pelts of first quality are remunerative to the breeder. Winter adult pelts (of rabbits of six months old and over) are the most saleable. Summer pelts are generally not satisfactory, and do not sell at remunerative prices. For the best mature pelts uncured, the breeder can obtain the following approximate prices (December, 1923):—Blue Beverens, 5s.; Havanas, Chinchillas and Argenté, about 6s. to 7s. The very best Havanas and Chinchillas fetch a good deal more, but the small breeder should not at present count on prices higher than those stated. There is, however, a steady market all the year round for good Chinchilla immature or baby pelts (of five weeks old), so long as they are clear backed, showing no brown; these fetch from 3s. to 4s. 6d. each. Good four-month Chinchillas also find a ready sale. With the exception of Chinchilla babies, only adult (winter) pelts are really profitable." As regards the sale of produce the following is of interest:—

"Finding Markets.—If a breeder can build up his own custom by skilful advertising, so much the better. In addition to this, he can sell to a number of private firms, or get into touch with the Fur Board, Ltd., London—a registered co-operative society which both buys and sells skins, makes them up, etc."

If forestalling at fairs is permitted to take place, farmers themselves will be the first to suffer, because no buyers will attend fairs unless they are certain of being able to buy in an open market.

Co. Wexford Farmers' Union considers that the Government should call a conference of Free State farmers "with a view to taking immediate action to better our national industry."

DEAD MEAT EXPORT TRADE.

FACTORY CARGO BOATS.

Coincident with the promotion of the scheme to market as directly as possible Irish cattle in Great Britain, there has been noticeable in recent months a revival of interest in the Waterford co-operative dead meat enterprise. Several important meetings of shareholders have already taken place in the counties chiefly concerned in the operation of the project, and ballots are being held for the purpose of electing the first actual board of directors. As is well known, a large capital sum has already been subscribed, an eminently suitable site has been secured, and plans for building have been prepared, which are based on the most up-to-date methods of plant installation in actual working in the U.S.A., the world centre of the packing trade. Further investigations with a view to an early start are being made at the moment, and, in view of these developments, a brief review of the broader aspects of the enterprise may well be of interest.

Great Advantages.

That there is an opening for industry of this kind in Ireland there can hardly be any question. With the Drogheda and Athy factories closed, or temporarily out of operation, the only plant of the kind now in operation here is that at Wexford. And the ever-present risk of renewed outbreaks of disease in either Great Britain or Ireland, with the resultant cessation of live stock exports, make it almost imperative that Irish producers should have an alternative method of marketing. Of course, a factory could not keep going on the strength of mere possibilities of this kind. It would need to have a constant trade for its dead meat products, and would require live stock to furnish those products, irrespective of the existence or otherwise of port restrictions. But in times of crisis its output might be increased with advantage to all parties in Ireland; and discrimination in the type and quality of the products might be exercised more keenly and with all-round advantage. The very existence of such a concern would result in competition between its buyers and live stock exporters, and in better prices for stock raisers and feeders. It would be bound to give increased employment at home, with resultant increased demand for foodstuffs, and its potentialities in respect of utilisation of the by-products from slaughter in subsidiary industries would be extremely advantageous.

Requirements for Success.

On the other hand, success in such an undertaking involves great foresight and organisation. First of all, a sufficiency of capital is an absolute essential. To be an economic proposition at all, a factory, as a rule, must be run to a very large proportion of its output capacity; and, apart from the money required to put up buildings, instal plant, and pay weekly wage bills, in an industry of this nature an extremely large amount of actual fluid cash is required. It is reasonable to anticipate that buyers of dead meat will not pay for purchases till a week, or perhaps a month, has elapsed from delivery, and in the interval, if the factory is to be kept working, a sufficient cash balance must remain to pay for at least one week's supply of live stock. If only the relatively small supply of 1,000 beasts per week were required, at even the present price of fat cattle, a sum of twenty to thirty thousand pounds would need to be available. Expert technical supervision is an absolute necessity; and, apart from port restrictions arising from outbreaks of disease, industrial and transport difficulties need to be largely anticipated. Of course, the situation of a factory has a great deal to do with success in this, and certainly Waterford, both from the point of view of collection of an adequate supply of raw material and distribution of the finished product, appears to be an ideal centre.

Factory Cargo Boats.

The transport problem brings into consideration an innovation which appears to be new in dead meat marketing, and which offers immense possibilities. Inspired possibly by the results achieved in whalers in preparing crude oil from blubber, and by fishing boats in preserving catches, modern ship designers have planned vessels into which live stock may be driven for slaughter and the carcases prepared on board for marketing. To enter into all the aspects of the question which the adoption of this step opens would be impossible in a short survey, but the chief possibilities are both obvious and attractive—whatever the chances of securing them in practical operation. The factory boat would relieve the shareholders of the upkeep of a huge land establishment with high rates and rentals, while entailing certain insurances as an offset. It would appear to offer opportunities to eliminate much handling of the carcases, and so make a saving in time and cash, not to speak of presenting the meat in fresher and better condition. The supply could be diverted, even if at sea, from one port to another in the event of unforeseen embargoes arising en route. And, finally, as dead meat cannot be kept indefinitely, and must be sold at a sacrifice in certain eventualities, the slaughter of a cargo might be postponed and the "raw materials" returned to home earth, or sold as live stock to meet contingencies.

However, enough has been outlined to indicate the great possibilities of investigation in this direction; and as the promoters of the Waterford enterprise have shown a commendable exercise of restraint when the times made caution necessary, it is only to be expected that they will evince an equal readiness to advance when the opportunity to progress offers.

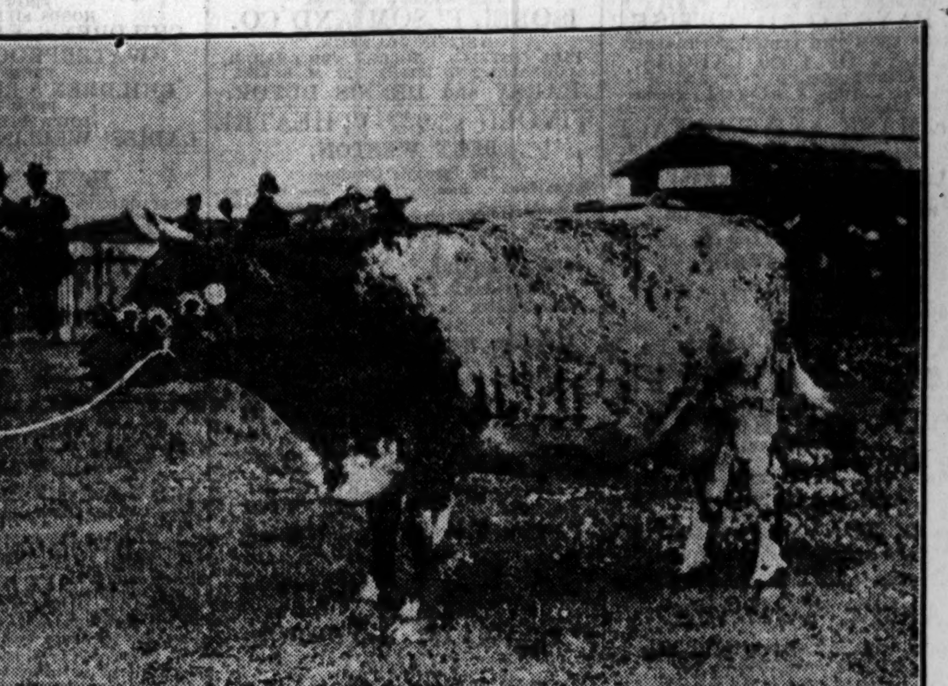
AGRICOLA OG.

CROPS IN ENGLAND AND WALES.

According to an official report on agricultural conditions in England and Wales at the beginning of the month, the very unsettled weather of August has delayed farm work. Haymaking is not yet finished in many districts, and comparatively little corn has been stacked, whilst in the later districts corn has ripened slowly. The cleaning of root crops has been very difficult. At the end of the month dry, sunny weather was badly needed, not only for the harvest, but for the growth of roots and for live stock.

In the East and North potatoes have done fairly well, except those on heavy land; but in the West they have suffered from the wet, and light yields are expected. Disease is showing in most parts of the country, but is not prevalent as yet except in the South-West, West Midlands, and South Wales. On present appearances, the average yield per acre over the whole country is forecasted at 5.8 tons, which is much the same as last year. The estimated total production—2,643,000 tons—is some 115,000 tons less than the small crop of 1923.

For Offaly live stock and agricultural schemes in 1925, the total amount available is £2,021.



A CHAMPION DAIRY COW.

"Dairymaid," the property of Mr. William Montgomery. At this year's Antrim Show she was awarded no less than five challenge cups, namely—the Alexander Lawther, the Antrim, the Farmers, the Clarendo, and the Randalstown. Fed on "Clarendo," the renowned concentrate for all kinds of farm stock, "Dairymaid" is a splendid specimen, giving a large yield of milk with a high percentage of butter fat. Messrs. White, Tomkins, & Courage, Ltd., Clarendon Mills, Belfast, the sole manufacturers of this celebrated food, have largely increased their manufacturing plant, and are now in a position to supply all orders promptly.

PRODUCE AND FOOD.

CATTLE.

GLASGOW, Wednesday.—Numbers fat cattle forward much about same as last week, but quality barely so good. Best classes in good demand at late rates, secondary harder to sell and cheaper prices. Top and current unaltered from last week, secondary heavier sorts from 20/- to 40/- per head cheaper. Sheep supplies light, and prices for all classes ruled firmer.

EDINBURGH, Wednesday.—Fair supplies sheep and cattle. Half bred ewe lambs sold to 69/-, black-faced wedder lambs to 30/-, Cheviot ewes to 86/-, Cheviot gimmers 82/6, Cheviot tups to £14 7/6, polled bullocks to £23, stirks to £17, best Cumberland cows to £48 10/-.

GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC, Wednesday.—WHEAT cargo market steady, with a better demand especially for white descriptions. The Cherca, 6,500 tons, choice white Karachi 20th September shipment sold 58/9; the Euphorbia, 6,000 tons, do. October 58/10½; the Hardanger, 6,623 tons, half white Western Pacific and half soft white do. 2nd September B/L 58/6, and the sailer Favell, 2,200 tons, South Australian, expected early December shipment 60/4½; No. 1 Northern Manitoba quoted 61/-. Rosafe (63½lbs) September 58/3, Barusso do. January-February 55/9. Parcels steadier, with a moderate demand for North American grades, other descriptions being quiet. No. 1 Northern Manitoba October-November sold 58/4½ to 58/6, No. 2 hard winter September 55/-, October 55/3 per 480lbs. MAIZE—Cargoes held for a further advance, and holders reserved, but buyers were less prominent. Plate steamer, 6,400 tons 15th September sold 43/-, do. afloat sellers 43/-, September-October 43/3, October-November 43/9, November-December 44/3. Parcels firmer, with a good demand. Plate October-November sold 43/4½, November-December 43/10½, December-January 44/4½ per 480lbs. BARLEY firm, and sparingly offered. Parcels of Karachi September-October quoted 44/9, American malting (48lbs.) do. 40/1½ per 400lbs. OATS sparingly offered at full to firmer rates. Plate f.a.q. afloat sellers 27/2, September-October 27/6, January-February 26/- per 320lbs.

MARK LANE, Wednesday.—Very firm conditions prevailed at the mid-weekly market, and prices further hardened for most cereals, owing to higher c.i.f. offers. Trade, however, remains checked, with only a small attendance of buyers present. WHEAT—English steady at 12/6 to 12/10 per 112lbs. free on rail. Imported firmer; No. 1 Northern Manitoba quoted at 64/3, No. 2 63/-, No. 2 hard winter 58/-, Barusso (63½lbs.) 59/3, Australian 61/6, all ex ship, per 496lbs. FLOUR firm, with a hardening tendency. London standard straight run quoted 49/-, patents 51/- to 52/-, town whites 49/- per sack delivered. Imported—Manitoba patents range from 46/- to 48/-, Australian 44/- per 280lbs. ex. store. BARLEY firmer, and sellers reserved. Californian 63/- to 66/-, Chilian brewing 64/- per 448lbs. ex. ship., Karachi ex. ship. 45/6, Danubian ex. ship. 45/-, Russian landed 47/6, American malting 44/3 ex. ship. to arrive per 400lbs., English new quoted 14/6 to 24/- per 112lbs. free on rail. MAIZE again dearer; Plate ex. ship. 43/3, landed 45/-, Bessarabian landed 45/6 per 480lbs. OATS firmer; Plate ex. ship. 28/-, do. landed 29/3, No. 2 Canadian Western ex. ship. 33/6 per 320lbs., English quoted at 9/- to 9/9 per 112lbs., free on rail. MILLERS' OFFALS firmer; broad bran quoted at 9/6, middlings 10/-, fine do. 11/6, bags included, ex. mill; light oats 6/9, powdered oat husks 8/9, feed oatmeal 12/3, ground oats 14/3 per cwt., free on rail. OATMEAL steady; London-made flaked 19/6, rolled oats 19/-, medium and fine cut 11/-, coarse and medium pinhead 19/-, ordinary Scottish oatmeal 19/6 per cwt.

LIVERPOOL, Wednesday.—WHEAT — American markets finished better than generally looked for, and forward deliveries of wheat here showed a fair advance at the outset, then receded, and fluctuated to a moderate extent, finishing under best, though showing a fair gain on the day, afternoon cables having a favourable effect. C.i.f. parcels. No. 1 Manitoba October-November sold at 58/-, old crop, due early October 60/-, No. 1 Duluth September 56/9, No. 2 hard winter 15th September-October 54/3, October 54/4½, Rosario Santa Fe afloat 57/-, Australian October 59/6 per qr. C.i.f. parcels MAIZE River Plate October-November sold at 43/6 to 43/7½, November-December 44/1½ to 44/3, January 44/6 per qr. Wheat on the spot steady held at late rates. Maize spot parcels firm and dearer; River Plate quoted 9/3 to 9/3½. Yellow Russian 9/3½ to 9/4 per cental. FLOUR firm at late rates. Graded wheat futures, after moderate fluctuations closed ½d. to 3d. per cental dearer. Maize options firm at ½d. to 1½d. per cental dearer.

GLASGOW, Wednesday.—Wheat quiet, at 6d. per qr. reduction. No. 1 Manitoba 59/6 Sept. Maize very strong in all positions. Oats—All kinds held for higher prices. Barley continues firm. Flour steady at late rates, with demand somewhat better.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL, Wednesday.—IRISH and DANISH BACON still in only moderate request with holders offering freely, but no decline in values reported. Canadian Wiltshires quiet at the recent decline. The market for all selections of American bacon here again rules quiet, and holders still anxious to make progress, but no quotable change is made in values, though buyers operate merely for their actual needs. HAMS attract rather more attention for fresh parcels, and sellers rule somewhat steadier than of late, but no alteration is made in prices. Shoulders in only moderate request, the recent decline failing to stimulate buyers to any appreciable extent. LARD on the spot rules quietly steady at late rates for both prime steam and American refined with only a moderate inquiry experienced. CHEESE quiet and easier, white and coloured Canadian being now reduced to 91/- to 93/- per cwt. BUTTER firmly held for higher prices; Danish quoted 218/- to 220/-, New Zealand 210/- to 212/-, Canadian 200/- to 204/-, and Irish creamery 202/- to 206/- per cwt. EGGS steady at 18/- to 18/3 per 120 for ordinary Irish hen and 18/6 to 20/- best selected.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE, Wednesday.—A quick sell-up was effected of the small quantities of vegetables offering on this market—viz., York cabbage 20/- to 30/- and 52, per load, Swede turnips 1/6 per cwt., cauliflowers 1/6 to 2/3 per dozen, white turnips 4d. to 8d. per bunch, lettuce 4d. to 6d. per dozen, tomatoes 4d. to 5d. per lb., parsley 6d.

DUBLIN POTATO, Wednesday.—The dull trade passing for tubers is readily catered for by the curtailed supplies offering at 7/- to 8/- per cwt.

CORK BUTTER, Wednesday.—The market remains steady, and values firm. Choicest 200/- per cwt., creameries 199/-, farmers' fresh parcels 147/-.

IRISH BUTTER TRADE ASSOCIATION.—Merchants buying farmers' unsalted lumps unfinished 1/3 to 1/2½ per lb., delivered Cork, according to quality. Creamery finished for shipment 1/8 to 1/8½ per lb.

DUBLIN FISH, Wednesday.—Supplies of fish on market were on the small side—namely, 81 boxes on one steamer, 1 package salmon, 15 chests lobsters, and 10 packages of herrings. Demand was good in view of the fact that the additional fast days this week decided the Transport Union withdrawing the embargo on the Corporation Market for to-day and Thursday. Prices ran as follows:—Salmon 1/6 to 1/9 per lb., large lobsters 15/- to 25/-, seconds 10/- to 12/6, and smalls 5/- to 7/6 per lot of 13; large soles 50/- to 65/-, mediums 30/- to 40/-, and slips 10/- to 15/- per 9 pairs; turbot 6d. to 2/6 each, brill 6d. to 6/- each, plaice, large 6/- to 8/- per 4, mediums 6/- to 8/- per 8. Box fish:—Plaice 35/- to 80/-, codfish 45/- to 90/-, whiting 16/- to 60/-, white soles 40/- to 50/-, hake 30/- to 100/-, ray 20/- to 26/-, congers 15/- to 30/-, pollock 30/- to 37/- per half box; herrings averaged 27/6 to 32/6 per box. Everything cleared.

BILLINGSGATE FISH, Wednesday.—Supply liberal; demand fair. Soles 28d. to 33d., slips 24d. to 30d. per lb., turbot, also brill, 16/- to 20/-, plaice 10/- to 16/-, lemon soles 14/- to 18/-, whitches 8/- to 12/-, cod 5/- to 8/-, hake 9/- to 10/-, skate 6/- to 8/-, haddocks 5/- to 6/-. English fresh herrings 2/6 to 3/6 per stone, live eels 20/- to 25/-, dead 10/- to 15/- per draught.

GRIMSBY, Wednesday.—Poor supply; demand fair. Plaice 18/-, lemon soles 21/-, halibut 10/- to 16/-, cod 6/- to 7/-, skate 6/- to 8/-, small haddocks 5/-, kit 7/-, gibbed 8/6, dabs 10/- to 12/-, codlines 6/-, whitings 4½ per stone, soles 2/8, turbot 1/6, brill 1/5 per lb.

PRODUCE.

LONDON, Wednesday.—TEA—At public sales 18,000 packages Indian were offered, and met with animated competition at again firmer prices. Extreme rates were obtained for choice lots. Pekoe sold at 1/6 to 2/6, choice ditto 4/0½, broken Pekoe 1/6½ to 2/1, orange Pekoe 1/6½ to 2/10½, choice ditto 5/-, and broken orange Pekoe 1/6½ to 2/8, with choice at 3/4 to 5/10½ per lb. in bond. COFFEE—Spot market firm with a hardening tendency for fine liquoring descriptions, which continue in request. Futures quiet. COCOA—Spot market firm with a fair demand. Accra F/F quality October-December 33/6 per cwt. f.o.b. terms. RICE remains quiet. Rangoon two stars spot quoted 16/9, October-November 16/6 per cwt. c.i.f. U.K. Bran firm and Burma October-December shipment quoted £7 17/6 ex ship to U.K. per ton. Japanese peas spot 20/9, October-November 20/9 per cwt. SPICE—Pepper quiet and tendency of prices easier. Black Singapore I. S. October-December sellers 5d., Lampong ditto 4½d., Muntok ditto 9d. Zanzibar cloves October-December 9½d. TAPIOCA quietly steady; Singapore fair flake spot sellers 3½d., fine Java 4d. per lb. Sago flour August 15/4½, September-November 15/4½, October-December 15/4½. Desiccated coconut fine cut spot 40/3, medium 40/6, and halves October-November 39/9 per cwt.

SUGAR—Steady conditions prevailed with regard to spot refined market, and a fair trade was effected in both British and foreign kinds at late rates. Forward positions of imported were firmly held; white Java afloat 23/9 to 23/6, as to position, c.i.f. London; Czecho granulated November-December 21/9 f.o.b. Hamburg. Terminal market quiet and rather unsettled; white December sold 20/9 to 20/10½, March 20/4½, May 20/7½ per cwt. JUTE—Market fully steady with moderate inquiry; firsts to Continent August buyers £35, August-September £34 15/-, September-October £34 10/-, October-November £34 10/-, November-December £34 10/-; lightnings September-October £33 15/- sellers per ton. Hessians and twills unaltered. HEMP—Manila firmer and sellers reserved; J grade September-November sold at £49, K quoted £47 15/- to £47, M £45 15/- per ton. SHELLAC quiet, steady; T.N. spot 320/-, October 315/-, December 322/-, per cwt. COPRA quiet, and tendency easier; F.M.S. Straits to Rotterdam June-August quoted at £30 10/-, July-September £30 7/6, August-October £30 6/3, September-November £30 5/-, October-December £30 2/6; Dutch East Indies June-August £30 10/-, July-September £30 5/-, Ceylon August-October £31 10/-. PALM KERNELS to Liverpool August-October sellers £21 10/-, September-October £21 11/3, October-December £21 12/6 to Hull September-October £21 17/6, October-December £21 12/6 per ton.

RUBBER quiet and easier. Plantation standard sheet spot sold at 1/2½ to 1/2¼, October 1/2¼, October-December 1/2¼ to 1/2½, January-March 1/2¼ to 1/2½ per lb. TALLOW—In auction 953 casks Australasian were offered, and with a good demand 645 casks sold at an average advance of 6d., with gut 2/- per cwt. dearer. Mutton fair to fine quoted at 44/6 to 48/6, beef ditto 44/- to 48/-, mixed fair to good 44/- to 47/-, gut 39/- to 43/9 per cwt. OILS—Linseed quiet spot 43/6, October-December 42/4½, January-April sold at 41/3. Rape—Crude spot 48/6, refined 51/6. Cotton firm; crude Egyptian spot 44/6, Bombay 42/-. Turpentine steadier; American spot 66/6, September-December 67/6, January-April 69/6 per cwt. OILSEEDS—Linseed quietly steady; Calcutta September-October to London sellers £22 17/6, Plate ditto to Hull £21 2/6, January-February £20 2/6. Rapeseed firm with few offers; Toria September-October £22 15/-, real bold Ferozepore £22 10/-. Cottonseed firm but quiet; Egyptian black to Hull September £13 3/9, white November-January £12 1/3, Bombay December-January £10 7/6. Castorseed quiet; Bombay August-September to Hull quoted £30 10/- per ton.

LIVERPOOL, Wednesday.—TALLOW—Prices continue fully steady, but trading on the slow side; little offering; market firm.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, Wednesday.—The market is quietly steady, with no change to report. Moderate business doing.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LIVERPOOL COTTON, Wednesday.—American in fair request. Brazilian quotations advanced 3 points. East Indian unchanged. Egyptian quiet. Sept. 12.73d., Oct. 12.39d., Nov. 12.21d., Dec. 12.18d., Jan. 12.22d., Feb. 12.25d. Sales 6,000, imports 24,454 bales. Market steady.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

SLIGHT RISE IN TIN.

TIN—Market easier, but improved, closing on balance 15/- to 20/- for cash, and 15/- forward firmer, as compared with final figures of previous day. Sales were on a liberal scale. Standard cash quoted at £232 10/- to £233, and three months £234 15/- to £235, settlement price £232 15/-. Sales, 1,150 tons. Standard cash sold at £232 to £232 15/-, three months £234 to £233 10/- to £235 to £234 15/-. COPPER in good demand, and tendency of prices firmer on balance, cash, and forward ruled 7/6 per ton dearer. Standard cash quoted at £62 7/6 to £62 10/-, three months £63 7/6 to £63 10/-, settlement price £62 7/6. Sales, 1,500 tons. Cash sold at £62 2/6 to £62 5/- and three months £63 to £63 7/6. Electros £66 10/- to £67. LEAD in good request, and tendency of prices generally firmer. Sales, 1,400 tons; good soft foreign pig October sold at £32 12/6 to £32 15/- to £32 12/6, November £32 10/- to £32 5/-, December £32 2/6, settlement price £32 15/-. English quoted £34. SPELTER active and easier. Sales, 1,200 tons; October sold at £33 to £32 15/-, November £32 17/6 to £32 13/9, and December £32 12/6 per ton. TIN PLATES and QUICKSILVER unaltered.

DUBLIN WOOL SALES.

SHARP ADVANCE IN PRICES.

A very attractive catalogue, comprising some 350,000 lbs. weight of the various classes, was submitted for competition yesterday in Messrs. Ganly, Sons and Co.'s salerooms. There was a particularly large and representative attendance of home and cross-Channel buyers, including some new-comers from the English midlands, who bid keenly for all the lots. Prices registered an advance generally of 10 to 15 per cent. on the July sale quotations, and in the case of fine Cheviot wools, which were scarce, fully 20 per cent. was paid. The following are the quotations:—

	Washed.			Greasy.		
	d.		d.	d.		d.
Shrops and Downs	28	to	30	23	to	24
Fine Bred Wools	23	to	25½	19	to	20½
Deep Bred Wools	19½	to	21½	17	to	18½
Fine Cheviot	23	to	25	19	to	20
Second Cheviot	20	to	22	17	to	18
Crossbred and Mountain	18	to	19	15½	to	16½
Blackface and Scotch ...	14½	to	15½	13	to	14

Messrs. Ganly's next auction will be held on Wednesday, 29th October.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

At public sales last evening two catalogues were brought forward jointly totalling 11,687 bales, and comprised 3,606 New South Wales and Queensland, 1,938 Victorian, 1,418 South Australian 325 West Australian, 2,701 New Zealand, 1,628 Cape and Natal, 37 Kenya, and 98 bales, German. The above formed an attractive assortment, and elicited good competition from a full attendance of buyers, and the advance established at the opening of the series, was fully maintained. New South Wales and Queensland scoured merino 58-71d., combing 39-62d., clothing 56d., lambs 53d., pieces 33-47d., greasy merino combing 29½-45½d., fleece 28-43½d., pieces 22½-38d., bellies 26-26½d., broken 30½-31½d.; Cape and Natal snow-white 45-58d., greasy merino combing 18-32½d. German scoured merino 41-52½d., do. black 26-31d. per lb. comebacks 32d. and cross-breds 28½d.

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PEDIGREE SHEEP.

PRICES AT DUBLIN SALE.

Messrs. Gavin Low, Limited, held their second sale of pedigree rams, ram lambs, and ewes for the Irish Pedigree Sheep Breeders' Association yesterday, at 50 Prussia street, Dublin. There was a fair attendance of buyers, and, although a very satisfactory trade resulted, prices were not so high as those realised at the first sale, held on August 27th, the reason for which, no doubt, is that the majority of buyers had their wants supplied at the first sale.

The top price of nineteen guineas was paid by Mr. P. D. Cullinan for a two-shear Shropshire ram, the property of Mr. R. Millin, Gordonall, Greyabbey, Co. Down. The Earl of Kenmare, who was one of the principal buyers, paid seventeen guineas to Mr. M. H. Franks, Westfield, Mountrath, for a Border Leicester shearling ram, and a similar price was received by Mr. H. S. Gill, Naas, for a shearling ram from Mr. Farrell.

Amongst the principal transactions were the following:—

Five Border Leicester shearling rams, the property of the Earl of Fitzwilliam, were purchased by Lord Kenmare (two at 15 and one at 15½ guineas each), Mr. Jas. Ganley (13½ guineas), and Mr. Wallace (12 guineas).

Miss K. A. Staples, Dunmore, sold shearling rams of the same breed to Mr. Cuthbert (14½ guineas), the Earl of Kenmare (16 guineas), Mr. Shuttleworth (15 guineas), and Mr. Roe (16 guineas).

Mr. M. H. Franks' pen of seven Border Leicester shearling rams went to Mr. Hattee (10½ guineas), Mr. Roe (14 guineas), Mr. Balfour (14 guineas), Mr. Newman (14½ guineas), Earl of Kenmare (17 guineas), Colonel Scollmoore (14½ guineas), and Mr. Drew (13 guineas).

Two Oxford-Down Shearling rams were sold by Mr. W. E. Kilroy, Oldcastle, to Mr. Milne (13½ guineas), and Mr. Sullivan (12½ guineas).

The Agricultural School, Athenry, disposed of seven shearling rams of the same breed to Mr. Bond (12½ guineas), Mr. Shaw (12 guineas), Mr. M. H. Franks (14½ guineas), Mr. J. J. Kennedy (11½ guineas), Mr. McCombie (11½ guineas), Mr. Sullivan (12½ guineas), Mr. Savage (12 guineas).

Rear-Admiral Craig-Waller, Kells, sold a shearling Suffolk ram to Mr. McDonald at eleven guineas, and Mr. J. McS. McCulloch, Donabate, sold six lamb rams of the same type to Mr. McCormack (11 guineas), Mr. Baird (11½ guineas), Mr. Watt (10½ guineas), Mr. O'Growney (10 guineas), Mr. Loughlean (10½ guineas), and Mr. Farrell (10 guineas).

Mr. H. S. Gill, Naas, sold five Suffolk shearling rams to Mr. Farrell (17 guineas), Lord Fingall (three, at 12, 10½, and 10½ guineas), and Mr. Leonard (11½ guineas).

Colonel W. Dunne, C.B., C.B.E., Offaly, sold to Mr. Horan a Shropshire shearling ram for 11 guineas.

Colonel R. B. Charteris, Cahir, sold eight shearling rams of the same breed to Mr. Connell (12 guineas), Mr. Bradley (11 guineas), Mr. Hutson (12½ guineas), Colonel Hely-Hutchinson (12½ guineas), Mr. W. J. Fennell (13 guineas), Mr. Sheehan (11 guineas), Mr. Callaghan (12½ guineas), Mr. Ryan (10½ guineas), Mr. O'Keeffe (10 guineas), Mr. Bradley (11 guineas), Mr. Sangster (10½ guineas), Mr. Blackbrow (10 guineas), Mr. Leonard (10 guineas). Mr. Delaney (10 guineas).

Mr. R. Millin, Gordonall, Greyabbey, sold five shearling rams (Shropshires) to Mr. P. D. Cullinan (19 guineas), Mr. O'Brien (12 guineas), Mr. Doran (12½ guineas) and Mr. Delaney (11 guineas).

CANADIAN CATTLE EXPORTS.

(SPECIAL CABLE.)

MONTREAL, September 17.

Trade steady; last prices unchanged; feeders 5.75 to 6 dollars per 100lbs. Sailings to Liverpool—Welshman 850 cattle, Gracia 816, Concordia 539. To Manchester—Corporation 655.

AUSTRALIAN WOOL SALES.

At the wool sales held at Sydney yesterday, 7,629 bales were offered, of which 6,679 were sold. Private sales totalled 3,927 bales. There was a good selection and a very strong market, the values of all descriptions fully equalling the rates of the previous two days. There was a keen demand for lamb's wool and all classes of skirtings. A small selection of cross-breds fetched very firm prices. Greasy merinos realised 35½d.

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE.
To-night at 7.45, TOM WALLS & LESLIE HENSON, In conjunction with Jack Waller and Herbert Clayton, PRESENT THE FARCICAL PLAY
"IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE."
DIRECT FROM THE ALDWYCH THEATRE.
A PLAY OF 1,000 LAUGHS.
MATINEE SATURDAY AT 2.30.
Next Week:—THOS. C. DAGNALL presents A Farcical Comedy in Three Acts by C. B. Fernald.
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GAIETY THEATRE.
ONLY APPEARANCE THIS SEASON BEFORE HER RETURN TO AMERICA OF
JEAN NOLAN,
SONG RECITAL,
TO-MORROW,
At 3.30,
Assisted by
ADRIAN HOLLAND,
AT THE PIANO.
Tickets—Dress Circle, 7/6 and 5/9; Parterre, 4/9 and 3/6; Upper Circle, 2/4, unreserved, at the Theatre.

OLYMPIA THEATRE
(LATE EMPIRE).
TWICE NIGHTLY .... 7 and 9.
THE GRAND SPECTACULAR REVUE,
"BRILLIANTS."
IN FOURTEEN SPARKLES.
Caste includes Geo. Mayfield and Ted E. Hill, the Edward Trio, the Argyles Pipers and Drummers, and a Super Chorus of Brilliant Brilliants.
Box Office, 11-4. 'Phone 3208.

ABBEY THEATRE.
TO-NIGHT AND FOLLOWING NIGHTS AT 8. MATINEE, SATURDAY, 2.30.
JUNO AND THE "PAYCOCK."
By SEAN O'CASEY.
Booking at Theatre. 'Phone—3268.

QUEEN'S THEATRE.
TWICE NIGHTLY, 6.45 & 9. TEL. 3016.
VALENTINE VOUSDEN presents
"BONNIE MARY."
A Drama (with Music), by H. F. HOUSDEN.

THE CARLTON.
GLORIA SWANSON, in
"PRODIGAL DAUGHTERS."

THE SACKVILLE PICTURE HOUSE
FRANK MAYO IN
"THE ALTAR STAIRS."
Also Charlie Chaplin in "THE PERFECT LADY."

PRINCESS, RATHMINES.
"THE LOVE SNOB."
Featuring ANITA STEWART.
Monday—GLORIA SWANSON, in "HER GILDED CAGE."

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GEORGE ARLISS
IN
"THE GREEN GODDESS,"
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Daily at 3.5, 5.55, and 8.45 p.m.

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Admission .... 3/6 each.

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TO-DAY AND ALL THE WEEK,
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MISS ALICE RAFTER
Will Resume Tuitions from SEPTEMBER 22nd, at
4 MERRION ROW,
and St. James', Montpelier Hill, Phœnix Park.

LEGAL NOTICES.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
SIR LAMBERT HEPENSTAL ORMSBY, Knight, M.D., F.R.C.S.I., D.L., late of 92 Merrion square, in the City of Dublin, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be Creditors of, or otherwise to have any claims or demands against the estate of, the said Sir Lambert Hepenstal Ormsby, Deceased, who died on the 21st day of December, 1923, are hereby required, on or before the 30th day of October, 1924, to furnish (in writing) particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitor for Lady Geraldine Ormsby, Miss Stella Beatrice Ormsby and George M. Meares, three of the Executors of the said Deceased, to whom Probate was granted on the 25th day of March, 1924, forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice in Saorstat Eireann, King's Bench Division (Probate).

And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 30th day of October, 1924, the Executors will proceed to distribute the estate of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands, particulars of which shall have been given as above required.

Dated this 9th day of September, 1924.
GEORGE M. MEARES,
16 Molesworth street,
Dublin,
Solicitor for the Executors.

CONTRACTS.

COUNTY BOROUGH OF DUBLIN.
CONTRACT FOR UNIFORMS.

Tenders are hereby invited for the supply of Uniforms for the use of Corporation employés, in accordance with standards which can be inspected at the Municipal Workshop, Stanley street, Dublin.

Tenders, endorsed "Tender for Uniforms, H.W.S. Section," are to be delivered at my office not later than 12 o'clock noon on MONDAY, 29th inst.

By Order,
JOHN J. MURPHY, Town Clerk.
17/9/1924.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

The following is the order of Advertisements in to-day's *Irish Times*:—

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PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL.
6.45 .... TWICE NIGHTLY 9.0
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MR. ANDREW HILL.
MR. ALEXANDER GOURLAY.
Prices (including Tax).—Dress Circle, 3/6; Parterre, 2/4; Upper Circle, 1/3 (Unreserved).

LA SCALA LADIES' HAIRDRESSING SALOON.
Mr. P. Flanagan (late of Maison Prost) wishes to announce that the New
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RAILWAYS.

DUBLIN AND SOUTH-EASTERN RAILWAY.
WINTER TRAIN SERVICE, 1924.

TRAIN ALTERATIONS TO COME INTO OPERATION ON MONDAY, 22nd SEPTEMBER, AND REMAIN IN FORCE UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

WEEK-DAYS.
MAIN LINE.

The 6.45 a.m. Train from Bri Chualann will be altered to leave at 7.21 a.m.

The 7.45 a.m. Train from Wicklow to Dublin will be altered to leave at 8.20 a.m.

WATERFORD BRANCH.

The 11.5 a.m. Train, Waterford to Macmine, will be altered to leave at 11.10 a.m.

HARCOURT STREET AND BRI CHUALANN LINE.

The 2.30 p.m. Train, Harcourt street to Bri Chualann will be altered to leave at 2.15 p.m.

The 4.15 p.m. Train from Harcourt street will not proceed beyond Bri Chualann, and the 5.25 p.m. Train from Greystones to Bri Chualann will be discontinued.

The 8.35 p.m. Train from Bri Chualann to Harcourt street will be altered to leave at 8.30 p.m.

WESTLAND ROW, DALKEY AND BRI CHUALANN LINE.

The 7.40 a.m. Train from Amiens street will not proceed beyond Bri Chualann.

The 8.15 a.m. Train from Greystones to Bri Chualann will be discontinued.

The 5.40 p.m. Train from Amiens street will stop at Blackrock.

The 6.37 p.m. Train from Amiens street will proceed to Greystones, and will return from Greystones to Westland Row at 7.52 p.m.

The 5.48 p.m. from Dalkey will not stop at Lansdowne road.

The 8.52 p.m. Train from Greystones will proceed to Amiens street, and a Train will leave Amiens street at 10.8 p.m. for Dalkey.

The 10.30 p.m. Train, Westland Row to Dalkey, will be discontinued.

The 10.37 p.m. Train from Amiens street will not proceed beyond Bri Chualann.

The 11.7 p.m. Train, Bri Chualann to Westland Row, will be altered to leave at 10.50 p.m.

The 11.42 p.m. Train, Greystones to Bri Chualann, will be discontinued.

SUNDAYS.
MAIN LINE.

The 9.25 a.m. Train, Harcourt street to Wexford, and the 6.15 p.m. Train, Wexford to Harcourt street, will continue to run until further notice.

The connections on the Shillelagh Branch will be discontinued.

HARCOURT STREET AND BRI CHUALANN LINE.

The 9.45 p.m. Train, Bri Chualann to Harcourt street, will be altered to leave at 10.0 p.m.

The 10.30 p.m. Train, Harcourt street to Bri Chualann, will be altered to leave at 10.45 p.m.

The 10.30 p.m. Train, Bri Chualann to Harcourt street, and the 11.15 p.m. Train, Harcourt to Bri Chualann, will be discontinued.

WESTLAND ROW AND BRI CHUALANN LINE.

The 15-minutes past the hour Trains from Westland Row, which at present run on to Bray, will run only as far as Dalkey, and the 37-minutes past the hour Trains from Bri Chualann will be discontinued continued as between Bri Chualann and Dalkey.

The Bri Chualann Trains, Down and Up, will continue to stop at Stations as at present, except the 1.37 and 9.37 p.m. Trains from Amiens street, and the 1.7 p.m., 2.7 p.m. and 10.7 p.m. Trains from Bri Chualann, which will stop at all Stations.

The Dalkey Trains will stop at all intermediate Stations.

The 1.30 p.m., 2.0 p.m., 9.30 p.m., 10.0 p.m. and 10.30 p.m. Trains, Westland Row to Dalkey, and the 2.3 p.m., 2.33 p.m., 10.3 p.m. and 10.33 p.m. Trains, from Dalkey to Westland Row, will be discontinued.

The 4.45 p.m. Train from Westland Row will stop at Sidney Parade.

The 8.8 p.m. Train from Amiens street to Bri Chualann, and the 8.37 p.m. Bri Chualann to Amiens street, will be discontinued.

The 8.37 p.m. Train from Amiens street will not proceed beyond Bri Chualann.

The 9.37 p.m. Train from Amiens street will proceed to Greystones and return at 10.45 p.m. to Bri Chualann.

The 9.52 p.m. Train from Greystones to Bray will be discontinued.

The 10.37 p.m. Train from Amiens street will not proceed beyond Bri Chualann, and the 11.45 p.m. Greystones to Bray, will be discontinued.

The 11.7 p.m. Train, Bri Chualann to Westland Row, will be altered to leave at 10.50 p.m.

Full particulars of the times are given in the Time Tables.

G. McDONALD, Traffic Manager.
Westland Row Station, 17th September, 1924.

MIDLAND GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY.
BALLYHAUNIS, WESTPORT & FRENCHPARK FAIRS,
MONDAY, 22nd SEPTEMBER, 1924.

On SUNDAY, 21st SEPTEMBER, a Special Passenger Train will leave Dublin (Broadstone) at 10.0 a.m. for Westport and Boyle, calling at Clonsilla 10.15, Maynooth 10.30, Kilcock 10.4, Enfield 10.58, Hill-of-Down 10.20, Killucan 11.33, and Mullingar 11.51 a.m.

M. F. KEOGH, General Manager.

SHIPPING.

CUNARD LINE
TO
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SAILINGS—
COBH TO NEW YORK.
Laconia ..Sun., Sept. 21 Scythia ..Sun., Oct. 5
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Scythia .....Sun., Oct. 5 Aurania ..Sun., Nov. 9
CANADA.
COBH to QUEBEC and MONTREAL.
Antonia ..Sat., Sept. 20 Andania.....Sat., Oct. 11
Ausonia ..Sat., Sept. 27 Antonia ....Sat., Oct. 25
BELFAST—QUEBEC—MONTREAL.
Caronia ...Tues. Sept. 23 Caronia .....Sat., Oct. 18
Carmania Thurs., Oct. 2 Carmania Sat., Nov. 1
Bonus £3 will be paid to Irish Emigrants on arrival in Canada.
ALSO REGULAR SAILINGS FROM SOUTHAMPTON AND LIVERPOOL TO U.S.A. AND CANADA.
For further particulars apply CUNARD LINE, CUNARD WHARF, COBH; 1 Albert square, Belfast, or Local Agents.

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PARIS, week 4 gns., Biarritz 7 gns., Nice 8 gns.; 12 days VENICE 9½ gns., ROME 11 gns. List 653. P.M. Tours, 207 Camberwell road, S.E. 5.

HOW TO READ A WIRELESS DIAGRAM.—See the "WEEKLY IRISH TIMES." On Sale To-day. Price Twopence.

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CHILDREN'S CAPES & HOODS,
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

RESTORATION OF ARMS SURRENDERED TO THE BRITISH FORCES IN IRELAND.

To facilitate the tracing of arms, etc., which were handed in for custody to the Royal Irish Constabulary or the British military authorities, owners, and persons authorised to claim on their behalf, should furnish the following details:—

1. Name and full postal address AT THE TIME OF SURRENDER of owner, and of person by whom the arms were handed in.

2. Present address of owner.

3. Date of surrender, name and description of officer to whom the arms were surrendered, and of barracks at which they were received.

4. Detailed description of each article, including nature of arms, maker's name and number, and any other identification marks.

Application should in all cases be addressed, in the first instance, to

The Chief Ordnance Officer,
Royal Arsenal,
Woolwich,
London, S.E.18.,

and should be accompanied by copies of the receipts given by the military or police officers.

Persons who have already been notified that arms applied for have been traced need not make further applications.

Arms, when traced, will be returned to persons in the Saorstat authorised to claim them by the Chief Ordnance Officer, Island Bridge Barracks, Dublin, on production, WHEN REQUESTED BY HIM, of

(1) The necessary police permits authorising the possession of arms; and

(2) The original receipt issued when the arms were surrendered, or other evidence of ownership, in the absence of such receipts, as may be required.

Department of Defence, Dublin,
September, 1924

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DAMAGE TO PROPERTY (COMPENSATION) ACT, 1923.
NOTICE AS TO 5 PER CENT. COMPENSATION STOCK DRAWN FOR REDEMPTION.

The Minister for Finance gives Notice that in conformity with the terms of the Damage to Property (Creation of Securities) Order, 1923, made under Section 13 of the above-mentioned Act, a drawing was held on 1st instant at the Head Office of the National Land Bank, Dublin, of one-tenth of the amount of 5 per cent. Compensation Stock of the Series (A) issued in the period ended 31st May, 1924, and that the principal sums of £50 of such Stock drawn thereat are of the Serial Numbers as follows, and that same will be redeemed on 1st November next by payment to the registered holders thereof of £50 cash in respect of each such principal sum:—

A.	8	A.	409	A.	702	A.	1027
„	24	„	426	„	773	„	1030
„	29	„	437	„	775	„	1031
„	35	„	457	„	776	„	1032
„	38	„	495	„	808	„	1033
„	114	„	502	„	814	„	1042
„	134	„	513	„	818	„	1047
„	151	„	526	„	819	„	1052
„	155	„	527	„	833	„	1060
„	157	„	536	„	837	„	1062
„	166	„	550	„	847	„	1065
„	217	„	566	„	871	„	1082
„	223	„	570	„	876	„	1092
„	231	„	576	„	880	„	1099
„	236	„	591	„	885	„	1104
„	242	„	592	„	904	„	1109
„	246	„	598	„	905	„	1114
„	247	„	608	„	910	„	1122
„	248	„	614	„	920	„	1143
„	252	„	616	„	927	„	1146
„	269	„	628	„	936	„	1155
„	277	„	639	„	943	„	1167
„	282	„	646	„	947	„	1176
„	288	„	651	„	964	„	1188
„	308	„	656	„	978	„	1213
„	330	„	658	„	983	„	1215
„	336	„	668	„	996	„	1218
„	345	„	671	„	1011	„	1219
„	358	„	674	„	1017	„	1228
„	368	„	675	„	1021	„	1230
„	386	„	679	„	1026		
„	400						

Ministry of Finance, Dublin, 9th September, 1924.
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A MASTER WILL TRAVEL BY LAST TRAINS FROM HARCOURT STREET and WATERFORD.

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FAST AUTUMN PASSENGER SERVICES.
LIVERPOOL to EGYPT, INDIA, and CEYLON.

*City of Harvard ...	7,071	Sept. 24	Bombay & Karachi
‡City of Simla	9,468	Oct. 1	Colombo & Calcutta
‡City of Nagpur......	10,138	Oct. 4	Bombay & Karachi
City of Paris.........	10,902	Oct. 15	Bombay & Karachi
§City of Hong Kong	10,089	Oct. 16	Colombo & Calcutta
*City of Genoa	6,399	Oct. 22	Bombay & Karachi
†*City of Cairo	7,882	Nov. 1	Bombay & Karachi
City of Poona	7,485	Nov. 1	Colombo & Calcutta

*Taking Passengers for PORT SUDAN.
‡Via Marseilles. §Calling Madras. †Via Naples.
SOUTHAMPTON to FAR EAST PORTS.

*City of Lahore ...	10,040	Sept. 20	Singapore, Hong Kong, Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama.
City of Karachi......	8,040	Oct. 18	
City of Baroda	9,670	Nov. 15	

*Passengers embark Southampton Docks noon.
LONDON to SOUTH AFRICA.

Trafford Hall.........	7,795	Oct. 3	C. Town, Algoa B. E. London, Natal.
City of Palermo ...	5,900	Dec. 12	

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WHAT TO DO TO HEAR AMERICA—Wireless Hints to Ensure Success are given in the "WEEKLY IRISH TIMES." On Sale To-day. Price Twopence.

The Irish Times.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1924.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

Recommendations made by a Committee of Inquiry to the National Association of Insurance Committees in Ireland, which met in Dublin yesterday, included the scheduling of tuberculosis as a notifiable disease and larger powers for tuberculosis medical officers of health. The recommendations were adopted by the Association.—(Page 5.)

The Leyland liner Asian was wrecked on the Staggs Rocks off the County Cork coast yesterday morning.—(Page 5.)

The Board of Trade returns show that in the five months April-August there was a big increase in the cattle exports from the Free State to Great Britain.—(Page 5.)

GREAT BRITAIN

The Federation of British Industries and the Executive Council of the Association of British Chambers of Commerce, at their meetings yesterday, condemned the Anglo-Russian Treaties, and protested against the Government's guaranteeing a loan to the Soviet Government.—(Page 5.)

A meeting of the British Cabinet has been summoned for Monday next, at which the Irish Boundary Commission and the Russian Treaty will be considered.—(Page 5.)

ABROAD

Spain desires to enter into negotiations for peace with the turbulent tribes in Morocco. The Directory offers to reduce considerably the Spanish occupied zone and to grant the Riffs independence within nominal limits.—(Page 5.)

Mr. Coolidge has recalled Mr. Wilbur, the Secretary of the Navy, to Washington. It is suggested that in the course of his election campaign on behalf of the President Mr. Wilbur has made indiscreet references to Japan and Prohibition.—(Page 5.)

One Sub-Committee of the League of Nations has discussed the arrangements for providing the League of Nations with the force necessary to impose its sanctions. Another is discussing the possibility of holding a Disarmament Conference.—(Page 5.)

The President of China held a War Council in Pekin yesterday, when staff appointments were made. No further fighting has occurred.—(Page 5.)

SPORTING

At the Curragh yesterday Zodiac won the Irish St. Leger, Monaco the Harehill Plate, Speedy Prince the Experts Stakes, Soldennis the Turf Club Cup, Louvix the Autumn Plate, and May Come the Osborne Plate.—(Page 8.)

At Ayr Henri won the Scottish Derby.—(Page 8.)

At Yarmouth Kilmoon won the Norfolk and Suffolk Handicap.—(Page 8.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were irregular, with a steady close. Rubber Shares were lower.—(Page 9.)

Money was in comfortable supply in Lombard street, and overnight loans were made at 3¼ p.c., with balances at 2¼ p.c. Discount rates were not so firm, and foreign exchanges were steady.—(Page 9.)

In Dublin National Loan picked up a point to 91. Bank of Ireland Stock lost 3 points at 266.—(Page 9.)

Free State Revenue.

The Free State revenue returns for the first five months of the current financial year contain some interesting information. Revenue and expenditure alike have fallen in comparison with last year's figures. The total revenue was about £11,500,000, as compared with almost £14,000,000 in 1923, while the outgoings fell from £14,500,000 to £9,600,000. The reduction in expenditure was brought about chiefly by means of economies in the Army. For the first five months of last year the Supply services cost £14,300,000; this year they cost less than £8,500,000, while Central Fund services—principally the National Loan—show an increase of almost exactly £1,000,000. These figures, on the whole, are satisfactory; but on the revenue side of the account there seems to have been a certain amount of miscalculation. Last year Excise receipts came to more than £5,000,000 during the period from April to September; this year they have fallen short of £3,500,000. The exports of Messrs. Guinness have not decreased since last year, and, apparently, a certain amount of non-recurring revenue last year was regarded as ordinary receipts. Customs are fairly constant, showing a slight increase; but the revenue from income tax has nearly doubled itself. This item also is deceptive. It would be interesting to know what proportion of the £2,204,000 which have been placed under the heading of "Property and Income Tax" consists of arrears. During recent months the income tax collectors have been very active throughout the country, and care should be taken in any analysis of the revenue returns to avoid the mistake of expecting that the present year's yield is likely to be repeated. On paper, however, the financial affairs of the Free State continue to show signs of cautious handling. With political stability and reduced taxation, they soon would become as sound as the affairs of any other country of the Free State's size in the world.

The uncertainty of the political situation is affecting everything. The British Board of Trade *Journal* publishes figures which indicate that there has been a marked decline in our exports and imports during the last month. In July Free State entrances and clearances at British ports amounted to 296,000 and 385,000 tons, respectively; for August the corresponding figures were 289,000 and 358,000 tons. Eggs and bacon both showed a fall, and the *Journal* makes the remarkable statement that Britain's export of bacon to the Free State was at least seven-eighths of the Free State's export of bacon to Britain. The English market is showing a preference for foreign products; and it is believed that, when the necessary calculations have been made at the end of the year, our exports of bacon and ham for 1924 will prove to have been less than those for 1923. On the other hand, the trade of Northern Ireland with Great Britain seems to be improving. Entrances and clearances from and to Belfast and other Northern ports in August came to 459,000 and 445,000 tons, respectively, as compared with 437,000 and 438,000 tons in July. Obviously, Belfast is gaining trade at the expense of Dublin; and, unless the political situation improves considerably, this process is likely to grow during the next few months. The moral to be drawn from all these figures is fairly obvious. Trade cannot improve to any appreciable extent until certain conditions are fulfilled. The menace of the Boundary Commission must be removed; taxes must be reduced in every direction, and the Free State Government must seek a *rapprochement* with the big railway and shipping companies which control all cross-Channel freights. When these conditions are satisfied we may expect a revival of trade in Southern Ireland.

Britain and Georgia.

The Georgian people, in their dire distress, are imploring aid from the Governments of Great Britain and France. These Powers recognised the independence of Georgia in 1921, but since that time the little Republic has been forced to capitulate to Bolshevist rule; and it is now governed—or, rather, oppressed—from Moscow. Some weeks ago the Russian tyranny reached such a pitch that the Georgians, who are a virile race, revolted against it. They are waging a brave battle and have inflicted heavy losses on the invaders; but Soviet troops are being poured into the country, and all the familiar atrocities of Bolshevism are being employed in the suppression of the revolt. A *communiqué* from the Georgian Legation in Paris states that terrible reprisals are being inflicted on the defenceless population. The Metropolitan Nazari and forty-three political leaders have been shot; whole villages have been burned, and the churches and schools are filled with prisoners. The armed citizens of Georgia are making a desperate stand for freedom. They are reported to have secured control of Tiflis and have established a Provisional Government at Kutais. By blowing up the Souram railway tunnel they have blocked the line to the reinforcements which the Russians have sent through the Black Sea. Without external aid, however, the struggle can have only one ending, and it is certain that the nature of the Soviet's vengeance will be appalling. The appeal to Mr. Macdonald and to M. Herriot says that the very existence of the Georgian people is at stake. It points out that the Treaty of 1920, by which Russia recognised Georgian independence, never has been annulled; and it begs for British and French intervention in order that the Russo-Georgian question may be settled by peaceful means.

If Mr. Macdonald's Government turns a deaf ear to Georgia's appeal, *Britannica fides* will become a byword among the new nations of Europe and the Near East. Before the Labour politicians took office Georgia, as a Socialist republic, was a special object of their concern. In July of last year, when the Conservatives were in power, Mr. Snowden asked a question in the House of Commons which is extraordinarily pertinent to existing circumstances. He asked whether, if the question of the recognition of the Soviet Government should arise, the British Government would insist, as a term of such recognition, that Russia should acknowledge the independence of Georgia. Mr. Ronald McNeill, who was then Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, replied that he could give no pledge "with regard to a situation which was quite hypothetical." To-day the situation has been translated from hypothesis into fact. A British Government has recognised Soviet Russia, and Mr. Snowden, the erstwhile champion of Georgia, is Chancellor of the Exchequer in that Government. Furthermore, Mr. Snowden's Government is trying to force upon the British people a treaty with Soviet Russia at the very moment when Russian armies are devastating Georgia with the most ferocious cruelties. The Russian Treaty is a preposterous treaty. It promises a British loan to a bankrupt Soviet which cynically disclaims all Russia's debts to Europe. Yesterday the treaty was denounced by two great organisations—the Federation of British Industries and the Associated Chambers of Commerce. If, however, the Government is unrepentant—as Mr. Clynes's speech yesterday would suggest—there is at least one obligation of honour which it cannot evade. Mr. Macdonald and Mr. Snowden must keep faith with unhappy Georgia. If they do not insist that the safety and independence of Georgia must be a condition of their continued support of the Russian Treaty, they will have plumbed a lower depth of political cynicism than any "capitalist" Government has reached in modern times.

The Ypres Salient.

Brigadier-General G. H. Colomb, who has been making an exhaustive examination of the battle-scarred areas of Belgium during the last few months, gives some interesting particulars in the *Morning Post* of the work that has been done in the Ypres Salient. Houses have been built in large numbers to replace the dug-outs and little temporary huts where the former dwellers in the neighbourhood found shelter after the cessation of hostilities. The ground is being ploughed again and the ravages of war are being effaced. Doubtless, for a long time to come the plough will turn up grim relics of the years of horror. The Belgian Government is offering a money reward for all bodies which are found, and about twenty are brought to light every week. Chief among the visible evidences of the terrible ordeal through which the district has passed is the absence of growing trees. Only short, blackened trunks remain to mark the woods of other days. The numberless graves of fighting men are well tended in neat, dignified cemeteries, which stand as silent witnesses against the authors of "frightfulness." A new Ypres is rising, Phœnix-like, from the ruins behind the tortured battlements that formed the last protection of thousands of fighting men before they made the hazardous journey along the Menin road. The smaller towns also are being rebuilt rapidly, and new houses have dispersed the desolation which was trod for over four years by "battle-moving feet." Thus is Belgium healing her physical wounds, but the wounds of the heart are deeper. A suggestion that enemy societies might be asked to attend international meetings of ex-Service men was defeated at the F.I.D.A.C. conference on Tuesday. The conference decided, however, that inquiries on the subject should be held in the separate countries.

Wolves.

No deep reading in Livy is needed for apprehension of the fact that to meet a live wolf is a bad omen. Signor di Martino Fusco has returned from flight into the Italian mountains—daunted, it may be, by the news that large and fierce wolf-packs are abroad. Italy's struggle against the roaming beast was interrupted by the war, and now the hungry wolf, in increasing numbers, roves the lonelier parts of the Italian countryside and menaces the peasants' children and flocks. If the valour of the Fascisti were directed to the extinction of the wolf, Italy might have cause to be truly thankful to the "Black Shirts"; and the live wolf preserved in the Capitoline Museum in memory of the beast that suckled the legendary founders of the city could find a successor from wilder lands. France, as well as Italy, is still afflicted by the pest which, in England, was extinguished in Tudor times. The wolf lingered in Ireland longer than elsewhere in the British Isles. In the seventeenth century the export of wolf-dogs from Ireland was prohibited—so great was the need for that ally of man in the war against wolves—and even in the eighteenth century the howling of the wolf was heard in Dublin. The menace which haunts the Italian to-day is one which our race has not suffered for nearly two hundred years. The superstition of the werewolf—belief in the transformation of men into wolves—which lingers still among the races of Eastern Europe, and once was universal, is the embodiment of the terror that oppressed innumerable generations. Herodotus talks of a tribe in Eastern Europe which spent a part of its year in the guise of wolves; and Gerald the Welshman reported a similar legend about the people of Ossory. The ancient dread gave the late Mr. Bram Stoker suggestions for some terrifying chapters in "Dracula."

COURT AND PERSONAL.

Prince Arthur of Connaught has had some good sport since he arrived at Mar Lodge, and has already secured two royal stags in Mar Forest. The wet weather apparently has not interfered with the deer-stalking, which the King and his party are enjoying daily.

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The Marquis and Marchioness of Cambridge are in residence at Shotton Hall, Shrewsbury. Their guests this week have included Colonel Evelyn and Lady Helena Gibbs, who left yesterday for Frogmore Cottage, Windsor, which the King has placed at their disposal.

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Princess Hatzfeldt has arrived in London from Windsor. The Maharani of Baroda, who left London recently, embarked on the Genova yesterday at Genoa for Bombay. The American Ambassador and Mrs. Kellogg, who are motoring in Scotland, are expected to return to London to-morrow. The Brazilian Minister at Christiania has arrived in London for a short stay. The Portuguese Minister Plenipotentiary, Senhor J. A. de Bianchi, will return to London to-day from Lisbon.

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The Marquis of Londonderry has left London and has joined the Marchioness of Londonderry at Loch Choire, Sutherlandshire. The Countess of Clonmell returned to London yesterday after a round of country visits. Viscount and Viscountess Ednam, who have been abroad for some time with Admiral Earl Beatty and Countess Beatty, have returned to London. Viscount and Viscountess Elvedon are staying in Paris. Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Pieter and Lady Stewart-Bam, who left Ards, Co. Donegal, last week, are now in residence at Laurencetown House, Middlesex.

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The Duke of Leeds, who is sixty-two to-day, succeeded his father, in 1896, as tenth holder of the titles conferred on Sir Thomas Osborne, Bart., who was raised to the peerage as Viscount Latimer and Baron Osborne in 1673 and advanced to the Earldom of Danby in 1674, the Marquisate of Carmarthen in 1689 and the Dukedom of Leeds in 1694. The Duke, who is inscribed on the roll of the United Kingdom as Baron Godolphin, holds in addition two Scottish Viscounties. By his marriage with Lady Katherine Lambton, daughter of the second Earl of Durham, he has one son, the Marquis of Carmarthen, and four daughters, one of whom is married to Lord Glamis, eldest son of the Earl of Strathmore and Kinghorne.

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Lady Weldon is spending the autumn at Kilmorony, Athy, where her sons, Sir Anthony, Mr. Thomas and Mr. Terence Weldon, and her mother, Mrs. Varty-Rogers, are staying with her. Sir George and Lady Roche will leave by the Arcadian for a cruise in the Mediterranean and will be away till the middle of next month. The Right Hon. Sir Frederick and Lady Ponsonby are staying in Venice, but will return to Marlborough Court, St. James's Palace, at the end of this month.

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Dr. Henry F. Moore has returned to 58 Fitzwilliam square.

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Dr. Geo. E. Nesbitt has returned to 71 St. Stephen's Green.

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Dr. Patrick O'Farrell has returned to 21 Rutland square

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Miss Vera Long has returned from London and Paris to 31 Upper Baggot street.

Switzers have now opened a new extension to their Soda Fountain and Lunch Room on the Lower Ground Floor. Rest Room, Writing Room, Library and Telephones adjoining.

Rich Autumn Shades in the New Wrap Coats, fashionable large Plaids and Checks, scarf collars or trimmed New Thibet Fur, in Sand, Tans, Chestnut, Beige, etc.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 Sth. Gt. George's st.

Salthill Hotel—Special Winter terms from the 1st of October.

Special Autumn Sale of New Goods now proceeding.—Campbell and Strahan, Ltd., 11 Wicklow street.

The Misses McManus have returned to 125 Stephen's Green with the Newest Fashions for Autumn.

Model Gowns, Costumes, Coats, plain and trimmed. Prices moderate.—Barrett and Heade, 5 Dawson street.

Our range of Mantles and Gowns for the coming season excels any we have previously shown.—Josephine Burke, Nassau st., Dublin.

McDonald (late of Magennis and Barry) and Marnane (late of Arnott and Co.), 1 South Anne street, are now showing a very smart collection of Millinery, Gowns, and Wrap Coats at moderate prices.

New coat frock in cinnamon wool marocain, made with pleats and embroidered in beige and black, for 6½ gns. at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Arrivals.—Dr. and Mrs. Nolan, W. J. and Mrs. Feeney, J. A. and Mrs. Costello, Rev. Joseph Jackson, H. L. Bonsfield, L. L. Duke, Samuel and Mrs. Boyd, T. A. Jackson, Mrs. Rutherford, Hilda H. Hopkins, Miss Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. George McBride, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lewis, Miss Leonard, T. R. Leonard, J. A. Leonard, V. J. Lanigan, Helen M. Lanigan, V. Maxwell Carter.

Departures.—W. E. Jones, Mrs. A. Russell, H. C. Backhouse, Miss J. M. Pike, Miss S. Nugent, Mrs. C. Anderson, Mrs. E. Galway, Mrs. R. E. Galway, Hugh L. Douglas, Mrs. Newsom, Cyril Newsom.

Other Arrivals and Departures will be found in "Dublin and the Provinces."

Latest creations in Paris and London Coats and Gowns showing at McBirney's.

Mrs. Hague (Mansfield Sisters) has returned to 28 Wicklow street from London.

Costumes sponged and pressed, 3s. 6d. Skirts, 1s. 6d.—Court Laundry, Harcourt st.

Gibson and Co., Ladies' Tailors. Specialists in designing and cutting. All models made on the premises. Inspection invited.—141 Lr. Baggot st.

Fresh Delivery of Day and Evening Gowns. Some very distinctive Models now on view.—Davis and Co., 45 Grafton street.

CELTS AT QUIMPER.

A BRETON FESTIVAL.

(BY MONA DOUGLAS.)

In the sunny old town of Quimper, a place full of rivers and bridges and churches, and queer, crooked streets of very old houses, the Celtic clans have been holding high festival for the past week. The Celtic Congress is supposed to be an annual one, but, true to the racial tradition, it is slightly irregular in habit, and this is the first session to be held since 1921, when the Congress met in the Isle of Man. The setting this time is very different from the Land of Home Rule, though to the keen observer all the Celtic countries present many points of scenery in common—a fact which may be due to coincidence, or to some inherent quality in the race which leads it, on migration, always to the same type of country and sea coast.

The fact that Brittany is a long way off has made the number of British and Irish Celts present smaller than usual. The papers have been chiefly concerned with the revival of the national languages, with economics, and with the national movements in the various countries represented; but the strongest feeling of the Congress seems to tend towards concentration upon the study and preservation of Celtic folklore and song, customs, dress, etc., and the attempt to express and develop these as a vital element in modern art, music, literature and drama. How far this attempt will prove successful remains to be seen.

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This being the Breton Congress, the atmosphere was naturally different from that of any of the previous British-Celtic meetings, and special features of the week were the Breton *fêtes* and plays. The session opened with a reception, and on Sunday the delegates attended the first *fête*, the Blessing of the Flags of Finistère. Every district has its own special flag, and on the *fête* day these are brought into Quimper with great ceremony and blessed in the cathedral there by the curé. Later, the flags are carried in procession through the town, the people of every district following their own flag, all dressed in the beautiful national costume, the women in black silk or velvet dresses, with sweeping skirts and gorgeous coloured embroideries, and wearing each the particular kind of head-dress, generally made of exquisite hand-made lace, peculiar to their own district; for the women of every town have a different kind of quoif. The men wear black knee-breeches, waistcoats embroidered in vivid colours, and often in Moorish-looking designs, short velvet jackets, and broad-brimmed black hats, with silver buckles on the high crowns and long ribbons at the back, which give them an appearance of being constantly in mourning, although as a people the Bretons seem the reverse of mournful, and enjoy alike their religious ceremonies and their secular entertainments with a kind of reverent gaiety that has great charm.

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On Monday two papers were read, one on Breton history, and the other, by Dr. Mary Williams, of Swansea, on Wales and its language. Dr. Williams urged very strongly the importance of teaching and preserving the old tongue and the national heritage of of folksongs and lore. Tuesday morning's paper was on Art in Brittany, by M. James Bouille, and was greatly appreciated. In the afternoon the usual "Ladies' Meeting" of the Congress was held. Mrs. Burnley-Campbell was in the chair, and the first speaker was Miss Agnes O'Farrelly, who spoke in Irish and French, consecutively, on the Irish language movement in general, and, in particular, the bad effect upon it of the present-day lack of rural industries. She suggested that a practical step to the preservation of the language would be to tackle the economics of keeping the young Gaelic speakers in the country by the establishment of revived or new rural industries, which would give them a decent livelihood in happy and familiar surroundings.

Wednesday and Thursday were given over to the annual meetings of the Bleun Brug, or Breton National Society, which coincided with the Congress, and were conducted entirely in the Breton tongue. On Friday a motor excursion was arranged to some of the remote and beautiful places in Finistere, including Argol, Landevennec, with its weathered image of St. Goreni enshrined in the ruins of an abbey, buried in trees and flowers close to the sea; Morgat, Camaret, Plougamec, charming little fishing towns full of light and colour from the sea, and Locronan, which is so old that it seems almost a symbol of ancient Brittany.

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On Saturday night the official banquet at the Café de France made a pleasant finale to the Congress proper, though most of the delegates stayed in Quimper to witness the famous *Fête* of the Queens of Cornouaille, which took place on Sunday. The ceremonies started at 7 a.m. with an early service in the Cathedral and the proclamation by mounted heralds of the events of the day. Every district elects its own "Queen" for the year from the local maidens, and on the *Fête* day the royal ladies, with their maids of honour, travel to Quimper from the various villages. On arrival they are received with great honour, and a procession is formed through the town to a hall, where a ceremony of welcome is performed. In the afternoon the procession, followed by all the towns-people and many visitors, passes out to the municipal park, a great wooded enclosure on a hillside, wherein, on a natural platform beneath great trees, the various queens are crowned and kissed, each by the Maire of her own little town.

Then comes the election, by ballot of the queens and maids of honour, of the Queen of Queens for the ensuing year, to whom the greatest honour is paid as she sits throned above all the other maidens. When the result of the ballot is declared, the retiring Queen is disrobed, kisses her successor, and descends from her throne. The new Queen is then crowned, kissed and saluted, and the Breton bards sing in her honour. These ceremonies are enlivened by various country dances and songs, and finally the procession forms up again and goes back to town, where the new Queen is enthroned in the hall, and the rest of the evening is given up to dancing and general rejoicings. The *Fête* of the Queens is a curious and charming ceremony, and made a fitting conclusion to a week of meetings, held chiefly on behalf of the restoration and appreciation of ancient languages, lore and customs.

WEATHER FORECAST

General Inference. — The depression centred near the Faroes is likely to move north-eastward, but there are indications of another far out on the Atlantic. Rather fairer weather is probable, with south-westerly to westerly winds, strong at times, and a slightly lower temperature.

N.W. Ireland. — Wind westerly to north-westerly, fresh or strong at times; occasional showers, bright intervals; visibility good; slightly colder.

N.E. and S.E. Ireland.—Wind south-westerly to westerly, fresh or strong at times; local thundery showers, considerable bright intervals; visibility good; colder.

S.W. Ireland. — Wind westerly to north-westerly, fresh or strong at times; occasional showers; bright intervals; visibility good; slightly colder.

All Irish Seaboards.—Westerly wind, strong at times; local thundery showers; considerable bright intervals; visibility good; sea rough.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

BAROMETER.
Dublin—Wednesday (5 p.m.) 29.70

SUN.
To-day ...Rises 7. 3 Sets 7.35
To-morrow „ 7. 4 „ 7.32
Lighting-up Time 8.35

HIGH WATER.
DUBLIN.
To-day ...Morning 3. 4 Afternoon 3.20
To-morrow „ 3.40 „ 3.56

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"It Pays to Advertise," 7.45 p.m.
Theatre Royal—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"Juno and the 'Paycock,'" 8.
Queen's Theatre—"Bonnie Mary," 6.45 and 9.
Olympia Theatre—"Brilliants," 7 and 9 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
La Scala Theatre—"One of the Blood."
Metropole Cinema—"The Green Goddess."
The Grafton—"Secrets."
Corinthian Cinema—"The Hunchback of Notre Dame," 2.30, 4.30, 6.30, 8.30.
Princess, Rathmines—"The Love Snob."
The Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"Six Days."
The Carlton—"Prodigal Daughters."
The Sackville Picture House—"The Altar Stairs."
Dublin Port and Docks Board, 1 p.m.
Lucan District Court, 10.30 a.m.
Grangegorman Mental Hospital, 12 noon.

LONDON LETTER.

PARLIAMENT'S PLANS.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

There was a calm in the political world to-day, following upon yesterday with its accentuation of the Irish crisis, and the way is now clear for the extraordinary session of Parliament at the end of the month. The Prime Minister is expected to return to Downing street on Saturday, coming to London in order that he may receive Zaghlul Pasha, the Egyptian Premier, for a series of conversations on Anglo-Egyptian difficulties. Mr. Macdonald also will receive a deputation from the miners, if it can be arranged for next week. It is understood that when Parliament meets at the end of the month the idea that no other business than the Irish Bill shall be taken will be adhered to; and when the Bill is being considered by the House of Lords the Commons will adjourn. In Government circles it is thought that the Bill ought not to take more than three days in all, but this is not the view held by the Opposition. The Bill is certainly very short, but there can be a debate on every stage of the measure, and full advantage may be taken of the opportunity.

Labour and Liberals.

The Socialist platform campaign has opened with fierce attacks on the Liberal leaders, more particularly Mr. Lloyd George. These attacks are only a prelude to determined attempts to try to defeat the more prominent of the Liberal leaders when there is an election. Mr. Asquith is to be driven from Paisley, if it can be done; for, instead of two Socialists opposing him, as at the last election, there will be but one, with the result that Mr. Asquith will be placed in a dangerous position if the Socialist vote is maintained. Sir John Simon is also to be strongly attacked in the Spen Valley; for his seat is one marked down to be captured at all costs.

"Scotland Yet."

Scotland is regarded as full of possibilities at the next election. It is traditionally Liberal, but Liberalism gave way to Socialism last time, and opinion may change again. In Glasgow, one of the Socialist strongholds, the Conservatives are steadily making way, particularly among the younger men, and when the election comes they will present a solid front to the Socialists with a candidate for every one of the fifteen city seats, of which ten are now held by the Socialists. At the last election the Conservatives and Liberals did not oppose each other in eight of the fifteen seats, but next time no such arrangement is likely to be made. It is considered that the popularity of the Liberals is eclipsed for some time to come, and that they will not be a very important element in the election.

It is said that the Socialists expect to gain about thirty seats at the next general election, mainly at the expense of the Liberals, provided that they can go to the country with a programme which will appeal to the working classes. Such a gain, however, would not give them a majority in the House of Commons, and, consequently, it might again rest with the Liberals to put a Government into power. The Socialist view is that, in such circumstances, the Liberals would not support another Labour Government, but would prefer to send the Conservatives to Downing street. This line of thought is interesting, since it reveals the fact that the Socialists are contemplating not an overwhelming victory, but a possible defeat.

Lord Thomson's Tour.

Lord Thomson, the Air Minister, left London to-day for Irak and the Middle East. He is going to make inquiries into the bombing expeditions which the military authorities in that part of the world have deemed it wise to make when occasion required. Lord Thomson, first of all, goes to Trieste by train, and thence to Alexandria by water, finally completing his journey to Irak by aeroplane. He expects to be back in London by the second week in next month. The air trip from Cairo will be a remarkable one; for he will have to fly by the coast route to Ramleh, and then east to Enman. He will then fly to an oasis called Kasr el Azrak, and thence direct across the Northern part of the Syrian desert to Ramadi, on the Euphrates, and on to Bagdad. From that centre he will visit the principal air stations in Irak, and later proceed to Mosul. On his return he will go to Kirkuk, then to Bagdad, and finally to Damascus. Such a journey by road would take many months.

Codes by Wireless.

A German wireless expert, who saw service in the German Wireless Corps during the war, was expelled from England last night. It is said that he came to London two months ago for the purpose of building up a wireless commercial service by which the German manufacturers and traders were to be supplied every few hours with a code message, giving them the latest Stock Exchange quotations and other commercial intelligence. He asked permission to stay for one month, but this became two, and an extension was again asked for; but the police refused, and saw him off on his return home last night. In the meanwhile, the authorities are making careful inquiry into the objects of the commercial code service.

Coloured Films.

Mr. Friese Greene, the son of the man who first made cinematography possible in this country, has now revealed to some extent the secret which he has brought back with him from the United States concerning coloured films. In about two months' time he hopes to show news pictures of about one thousand feet every day in the natural colours. This is to be the first step; but it is probable that a second one of story pictures will not be long delayed, since it is stated that the natural colour film can be produced at the same cost as the black and white one. A company formed here has acquired the rights, and the United States is already clamouring for these coloured films, with the result that, for once in a way, American money will have to come to this side for a cinema invention.

Strange Faiths.

On Monday next one of the most remarkable assemblies ever seen in London will meet at the Imperial Institute. It will take the form of a conference of living religions within the Empire, and the delegates will represent Hinduism, Taoism, Confucianism, Buddhism and scores of other Easternisms. His Holiness the Khalifat Al Massiah, with twelve Oriental scholars, has already arrived here from India, while Mr. Hsu Ti Shan is coming from Peking on behalf of Taoism. Shogo Effendi will come from Palestine on behalf of the Bahai religion; and the religions of some of the African tribes and of the Maoris will be represented by British observers who have lived in intimate contact with these races.

Petrol Prices.

The price of petrol is now below that which ruled when taxi-cab fares in London were at the rate of eightpence a mile, and the Home Secretary is to be pressed to secure a reduction in the present scale of a shilling a mile. It is realised that expenses other than those connected with fuel are still above the pre-war level; but there is a confident belief that the taxi-cab proprietors, in the end, would benefit by a reduction of the scale.

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INDEPENDENCE WITHIN NOMINAL LIMITS.

TANGIER, Wednesday.

The Spanish Directory is desirous of entering into immediate negotiations with Abdel Krim, the Riff leader, in the hope of arriving at an understanding. I have reason to believe that the Spanish proposals will be very similar to those offered in July, 1923, with the addition of the abandonment of a very large area of their zone. Spain is prepared to concede Abdel Krim "a large measure of economic and administrative independence" for such part of the Riff and for all the Jabala tribes as will fall outside the proposed reduced sphere of Spanish occupation.

In return, the Directory will demand the recognition, even if purely nominal, of the Sultan of Morocco and his Kalipha at Tetuan and of the Spanish Protectorate, but will consent to there being no active intervention in the administration of any district or region outside the occupied area. Spain will, at the same time, inform the Powers that she withdraws none of her Treaty rights over the abandoned or unoccupied part of her zone.

The Spaniards intend to continue their occupation of the Atlantic plain, extending from the northern limits of the French zone, near Alcazar, to Araiche, and as far as the Tangier zone, and of the adjoining country eastward and northward to Tetuan and the Straits of Gibraltar respectively. The southern limit of this part will be a line passing east and west to the south of the Wadros tribe, which will ensure the security of the principal roads and communications.

Although the intention of the Spanish authorities to open negotiations at once had not been disclosed, the Riff leaders are fully aware of it, and I received last night the terms that they propose to demand. Abdel Krim will demand, first of all, the evacuation by the Spaniards of Tetuan and all the territory in the Spanish zone of which the Spaniards were not in occupation previous to the Franco-Spanish Treaty of 1912; secondly, the complete and absolute independence of the Riff and the recognition of this independence by Spain and the Powers; thirdly, an indemnity and reparations for the losses suffered by the Riff and the Jabala tribes during these twelve years of warfare and ransom for the Spanish prisoners, said to number several hundreds, at present in captivity at Abdel Krim's headquarters; fourth, the right to imprison or to exile Raisuli and all tribal leaders who have fought for Spain.

In return a Riff Constitutional Government will be formed under a Sultan, who has not yet been chosen.—(*The Times* Correspondent.)

PEKIN WAR COUNCIL.

APPOINTING THE STAFF.

PEKIN, Wednesday.

The President, Tsao-kun, presided at a conference to-day, at which Wu Pei-fu was appointed Commander-in-Chief of the Chih-li Armies; Wang Chen-ping, Vice Commander-in-Chief; Feng Yu-hsiang, Commandant of the Northern Armies; Peng Show-hsin, Commandant of the Eastern Army; and Wang Huai-ching, Base Commandant. The various military departments necessary for the prosecution of the war were established and a chief of *personnel* appointed. Wu Pei-fu will shortly inspect the positions of the advanced forces.

Discussing the situation with Pekin officials, Wu Pei-fu said that he did not consider that the Che-kiang war was a matter of much importance, but that no precautions should be neglected as regards Feng-tien's threat.

Marshal Tuan Chi-jui, once a great and powerful An Fu-ite leader, but at present a confirmed opium addict, who is taking refuge in the foreign concession of Tientsin, has issued a manifesto, calling on the people to turn out "the notorious usurper Tsao-kun." This is intended to shake the loyalty of a few of Tuan's former subordinates, who are now serving the Government in outlying places, but it is doubtful whether it will have any material effect.—(Press Association's Special Correspondent.)

SHANGHAI, Wednesday.

Last night it was expected that an attack would be made by the Kiang-su forces. There is no sign of it to-day. To-day has been quiet on all fronts, though both sides are being continually reinforced.—(Reuter.)

EGYPTIAN FRONTIER.

ITALIAN STATEMENT.

ALEXANDRIA, Wednesday.

The Egyptian Government this evening issued a reassuring official *communiqué* deprecating alarmist reports in the Egyptian Press regarding Italian action on the Western Frontier, but admitting that unusual military activity has occurred, ostensibly directed to the occupation of Jarabub. The *communiqué* refers to negotations dating back over a long period, and also to recent attempts to establish "a provisional frontier," and to concerted measures to prevent the smuggling of arms. It states that the Cabinet are considering the report submitted by the Commandant at Sollum in this connection. The Italian Government is stated to have repeatedly conveyed assurances that it did not intend to occupy Jarabub, and these assurances are accepted by the Egyptian Government.—(Reuter.)

BULGARIA'S HANDICAPS.

SITUATION EXPLAINED TO MR. RAMSAY MACDONALD.

SOFIA (By Mail).

In an article on the conversations which M. Kalkoff, the Bulgarian Minister of Foreign Affairs and first Bulgarian delegate to the League of Nations' meeting at Geneva, had with Mr. Ramsay Macdonald during the British Premier's visit to Switzerland, the semi-official *Svobodna Retch* says that M. Kalkoff gave Mr. Macdonald a detailed account of the situation in Bulgaria, and that the latter listened attentively and with manifest sympathy for the Bulgarian people.

M. Kalkoff, the journal says, especially emphasised the detrimental manner in which the peaceful development of Bulgaria was affected by "its practical disarmament"—*i.e.*, by its Treaty obligation not to resort to conscription, but to employ only paid soldiers. This handicap, he urged, gave constant encouragement to the subversive elements in the country.

There were also the financial drawbacks attendant upon it, even though the Army maintained was so small, and these were especially to be deplored, necessitating, as they did, the cutting out of the Budget of virtually every vote for the restoration of the railways and its industries, and the general economic revival of the country.—(Reuter.)

RETURN OF MOUNT EVEREST EXPLORER.

Captain J. F. Bruce, of the Mount Everest Expedition, has returned from India. He was met in London by his father, Colonel Bruce, leader of the previous expedition, and his mother. After a short stay at the Hotel Cecil the party left last night for their Welsh home.

AMERICAN ELECTION CAMPAIGN.

NAVY SECRETARY'S TOUR INTERRUPTED.

SUGGESTED RASHNESS IN SPEECHES.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday.

Mr. Wilbur, Secretary for the Navy, has been recalled from the Pacific Coast, where he has been campaigning for the President. Much curiosity has been displayed as to the motives for Mr. Coolidge's action at the moment when the Secretary still had four or five speech engagements unfulfilled. There has been a flock of conjectures and much talk. Meanwhile, Mr. Wilbur is returning to Washington as fast as aeroplanes and train can carry him.

The reasons for Mr. Wilbur's recall remained unexplained this morning, although it had been indicated that it was because of Budget matters relating to appropriations desired by the Navy and the President's wish to discuss with his Secretary the relative value of battleships and aeroplanes, the utility of the latter having been strikingly demonstrated by the round-the-world flight.

These semi-official explanations, however, are ridiculed by some persons who claim that Mr. Wilbur has been recalled because of inopportune speeches that he had made, in which he attacked the Japanese, suggested that there should be a strong Navy for defensive purposes in the Pacific, and ridiculed the enforcement of Prohibition.

Mr. Coolidge, it is stated, telegraphed to Mr. Wilbur direct without conferring with the other Cabinet Ministers, and ordering his immediate return, but later in the morning it was officially denied at the White House that the President had heard any criticism of any of the speeches made by Mr. Wilbur. It was added—"The President has the highest regard for the service that Mr. Wilbur has rendered as head of the Navy, and has sent for the Secretary solely to consult him on matters of purely domestic concern relating to the Navy."

Whatever the real facts may be, it is unlikely that they will be further explored until Mr. Wilbur's arrival here, which is expected at the end of the week.—Press Association's Special Correspondent.

THE LOST BOOKS OF LIVY.

STATEMENT BY PROFESSOR DI MARTINO FUSCO.

MILAN, Tuesday.

The Special Correspondent of the *Corriere della Sera* in Naples reports that Professor di Martino-Fusco submitted a written statement to the Commission of Inquiry, in which he said:—

(1) That after long study and research he found an important and hitherto unknown document;

(2) That this document is preserved in a public building;

(3) That from this document one learns that at a certain period a Neapolitan scribe was entrusted with the task of transcribing the whole of Livy's history;

(4) That, following the indications given in this document, he made further researches;

(5) That he was nearing the end he had in view when the true or false rumours of his discovery circulated in Italy and abroad and the discussions raised thereby disturbed him; and

(6) That he will make a full declaration about the whole affair later on.—(*Times* telegram.)

CAPTURED WHITE WOMEN.

HOPES OF THEIR RESCUE.

SYDNEY, Wednesday.

The news which so far has been received from the schooner Huddersfield's expedition for the rescue of the white women, who are said to be in the hands of blacks in Arnhemland, is inconclusive. While certain incidents are described as being confirmation of the statements which prompted the expedition, they actually only confirm the fact that the blacks of that region have spoken about two white women in captivity since the wreck of the Douglas in the Gulf of Carpentaria.

Captain Wilkins, who was at Thursday Island, proceeded to Darwin in the Mission lugger James MacBride, and met some island blacks off the coast of Arnhemland. These repeated the stories which had already been heard months ago by a policeman, and later by Dr. Wade, whose report moved the authorities last July to take action. The story has undoubtedly had a fairly wide circulation among the natives of that region, but proof of its accuracy has not yet been obtained at any centre.

To-day two directors of the Elcho Island Oil Company and the Concaut Bay Trading Company, respectively, reached Sydney, and expressed their belief that the story of the blacks is correct. They also believe that the women will be rescued.—(*Times* telegram.)

PLIGHT OF BRITISH TRAMWAYS.

"UNFAIR COMPETITION."

Mr. John Barnard, at the Municipal Tramways Association Conference at Southport yesterday, in his presidential address, said that before the war tramways contributed half a million pounds to the local rates, but last year they cost the local rates a quarter of a million pounds. With increased costs, there was no hope of a return to pre-war fares. Parliamentary protection against unfair competition was needed.

Referring to the competition between motor omnibuses and tramways, Mr. McEntee, M.P., Chairman of the Walthamstow Tramway Committee, said that the only reason why 'buses could compete with municipal undertakings was the advantage which they enjoyed over tramways.

Mr. Jack Jones, M.P., Mayor of West Ham, said that if legal obstructions were removed from tramways, and they were given equality with motor 'buses, he would not be afraid of the competition of the 'buses.

FRAUDULENT BANKRUPTCIES.

MR. SPENCER'S CHARGES.

Mr. H. H. Spencer, M.P., speaking at the annual dinner yesterday evening of the Bradford Textile Society, said that unfortunately for the West Riding of Yorkshire, there had been a perfect epidemic of fraudulent bankruptcies. By constant pressure on the Board of Trade, they had induced Mr. Sidney Webb to appoint a Departmental Committee, which was taking evidence on the reform of the Bankruptcy Laws.

"When I tell you," he said, "that we have received figures during the past four years of bankruptcies and liquidations in the textile trade, showing strong *prima facie* evidence of fraud, amounting to twenty-five millions sterling, you will agree with me that it is quite time that the Bankruptcy Laws were drastically reformed."

Mr. Spencer added that he regretted to say that by far the largest portion of those fraudulent bankruptcies were carried through by Polish and Russian Jews, whose motto seemed to be, "Where I am getting hold of the stuff there is my fatherland." (Laughter.) He hoped that any reform of the laws ultimately made would include a provision in these cases that, in addition to any punishment, deportation should follow.

BIRMINGHAM SILVER ROBBERY.

The Birmingham police yesterday were informed of a robbery at the silversmith's and electro-plate manufacturing works of Messrs. Deykin and Harrison, some six hundred ounces of silver sheet being missing. It is believed that the thief secreted himself inside the premises before closing time.

RUSSIAN TREATIES CONDEMNED.

BRITISH TRADERS' VIEWS.

SURRENDER OF RIGHTS AND PRINCIPLES.

At its meeting yesterday afternoon, under the presidency of Sir Eric Geddes, the Federation of British Industries unequivocally condemned the Anglo-Russian Treaties.

In a subsequent interview with a representative of the Press Association, Sir Eric Geddes said that there had been no attempt to discuss in detail the provisions of the proposed Treaties, the broad principles of the proposals being such that the Federation regarded them, as a whole, as merely fantastic and not open to serious discussion. The Federation considered that the Treaties contained articles calculated to prejudice British commercial relations with Russia and other countries, and, in general, represented a surrender of rights and principles which were essential to the welfare of British industry.

The Federation, therefore, hoped that they would not be ratified.

Contrary to the Federation's attitude being merely destructive, they submitted constructive proposals to the Prime Minister in February last; but the signature of the proposed Treaties indicated pretty clearly what effect the Federation's proposal had had upon the British Government.

Besides the surrender involved in the arrangements contemplated for the settlement of debts contracted by previous Russian Governments, it was an obvious absurdity to recognise that a country with the vast potential resources of Russia could never satisfy in full claims which were infinitesimal in comparison.

Even if all the circumstances were favourable, the proposal to guarantee a loan to a foreign Power, and thus impose a possible further liability on the heavily burdened British taxpayer, and, through him, on British industry, would be a matter for most serious consideration; but when in the same document which proposed the loan, the British Government recognised the correctness of Russia's profession that she was unable to meet existing obligations, the proposal became merely fantastic.

Criticising the proposed Treaty of Commerce, he said that if, by Article 2, diplomatic immunity was intended for the Soviet trade organisations, the latter would receive substantial advantages over foreign and British traders, and conceivably the interests of any British firm entering into business relations with them might be detrimentally affected. The Treaties, far from extending and developing commercial relations between the two countries, actually created fresh causes of probable friction and disagreement.

The resolution urging Parliament not to ratify the proposed Anglo-Soviet Treaties was passed yesterday by the Executive Council of the Association of British Chambers of Commerce in London. The resolution urged that no agreement should be entered into with any nation which "does not recognise the sanctity of contract as a fundamental principle." The resolution further expressed the opinion that it is unsound for the British Government to guarantee a loan to the Soviet Government. Numerous portions of the Treaties, it was declared, constituted dangerous risks and a dangerous precedent.

"THAT RIDICULOUS SHAM."

Mr. Neville Chamberlain, at Birmingham last night, referring to the Russian loan, said:—If you are fools enough to lend yourselves to such a transaction, you deserve to lose every penny you put into the loan. The debates in the Commons, he said, made no impression upon this thick-skinned Government. He did not know whether it would be able to escape dissolution on the Russian Treaty, but there was no issue upon which he could go to the country with greater confidence that on that ridiculous sham.

MR. CLYNES REPLIES TO CRITICS

Addressing his constituents at Manchester yesterday evening, Mr. Clynes declared that the unscrupulous campaign against the Russian loan was inspired solely by political and class hostility to the present Russian Government. England had found considerable sums for other countries, including Austria, and was preparing to share in a loan to Germany. Former enemies or friends could, alike, be assisted, if their Governments evoked our approval. That was the secret of the bitter hostility to the Russian loan, much of which would be spent in England and find employment for idle thousands.

The proposal had been subjected to wicked misrepresentation. No loan would be arranged unless beforehand agreements were reached with the Russian representatives for them to meet obligations which they should shoulder. The attitude of certain Liberal leaders was a palpable endeavour to coin prejudice against Russia into party capital. Mr. Lloyd George, who had tried, and failed, to arrange treaties with the Russian representatives, was now going back upon his appeal for fair play for that country.

THE FRANCISCANS AT CANTERBURY.

MESSAGE FROM THE KING.

On the occasion of the Franciscan celebration at Canterbury, the following telegram was despatched from the members of the Order to Their Majesties, the King and Queen.

"His Majesty the King, Balmoral, Scotland.

"The members of the Order of St. Francis of Assisi, celebrating at Canterbury, under the presidency of Cardinal Bourne, the seventh centenary of their arrival in England, September 10th, 1224, humbly salute Your Majesties, and earnestly beg God's blessing on Your Majesties, and all your Royal House."

To this message the following reply was received.

"Balmoral Castle.

"The members of the Order of St. Francis of Assisi, Canterbury.

"I am commanded to express the sincere thanks of the King and Queen for the kind message of greetings and goodwill which Their Majesties have received from the members of the Order of St. Francis of Assisi, who to-day are celebrating at Canterbury the seventh centenary of the arrival of the Order in England, on 10th September, 1224.

"STAMFORDHAM."

BOARDED BY PIRATES.

ROMANTIC STORY OF WHISKEY SHIP'S VOYAGE.

PARIS, Wednesday.

A romantic modern detective story of "bootlegging" and piracy on the high seas ended at noon to-day with the arrest of Max Pfaff, aged 36. The story goes back to July, and begins with the voyage of the cargo steamer Mulhouse to America with a cargo of cod and, incidentally, 36,000 cases of spirits. The captain decided to sell his spirits before entering American territorial waters, and, having anchored outside, waited for customers.

A schooner, of which Pfaff is alleged to have been the owner and captain, soon arrived, and bought several cases of spirits for cash, promising to return later. Unfortunately for the Mulhouse, it did, accompanied by several other craft. A body of men, apparently Americans, then swarmed aboard without money, but with loaded revolvers; put the crew of the Mulhouse in irons, removed the spirits, and sailed away.

The owners of the Mulhouse placed the matter in the hands of American detectives, who, after exhaustive inquiries in haunts where the "bootlegging" fraternity mostly congregate, learned that a well-known German who had become a naturalised American had brought off a great haul in July. An extensive search was started, and a description circulated throughout Europe. The man was traced, and followed by detectives to London, Antwerp, and Brussels. On Sunday he came to Paris, and was watched by detectives, who this morning solicited the aid of the French police. The man was finally arrested, protesting his innocence.—(Reuter.)

OXFORD ARCTIC EXPEDITION.

Mr. George Binney, leader of the Oxford University Arctic Expedition, who set out from the Tyne last June, arrived in the Tyne last night with several members of his party, from Bergen. He declined to be interviewed, or to express any opinion as to the results of the expedition.

SANCTIONS OF THE LEAGUE.

MEMBERS AGREE TO PROVIDE FORCES.

A NEW DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE.

GENEVA, Wednesday.

The sub-Committee dealing with the terms of the Protocol regarding arbitration, security and disarmament, had two sittings to-day, and considerable progress was achieved, warranting the belief that it will conclude its labours to-morrow or Friday, when a report will be sent in to the full Committee for consideration.

At the conclusion of the sitting, Dr. Benes was requested by the sub-Committee to make a statement to the journalists. He informed them that an agreement was reached as to penalties, how they are to come into operation, and to what degree. The majority of the penalties are those provided for in the Covenant. The political independence of an aggressor State is not to be tampered with, though such State will have to pay the expenses of the war, and preparations for war. Countries will have to make the strength of the forces that they can put in the field against an aggressor known beforehand.

As regards formulating terms relating to arbitration, the first committee is dealing with the matter. As regards disarmament, a conference to deal with the subject was foreshadowed, and the Council of the League will decide the date of its convocation and its agenda on the basis of Article VIII. of the Covenant.

In conclusion, Dr. Benes added that he saw no difficulties in principle, though, of course, it was difficult to say at present whether none would arise in the course of further discussions.

I learn, besides, that the sub-Committee has agreed to exclude regional or partial agreements between States from the general plan at present under discussion, though States concerned in any such agreements could appeal to the League in the event of conflict. I further understand that these "regional" agreements are not favourably viewed by the British, and so it would appear that British views on the subject have prevailed.

Mr. Henderson now attends the discussions of the sub-Committee besides Lord Parmoor.

MOSUL ADMINISTRATION.

TURKEY'S CASE BEFORE THE LEAGUE.

Fethi Bey, the head of the Turkish Delegation dealing with the question of the frontier between Turkey and Irak, is busily engaged in conversations with the members of the League Council, and yesterday he had lunch with Lord Parmoor. The delegation has distributed to the members of the Assembly a long memorandum, reiterating the old Turkish arguments in favour of maintaining Turkish sovereignty in the vilayet of Mosul, and affirming that the immense majority of the population, according to documents from a British source, were opposed to union with Irak. The only solution, therefore, according to the Turkish view, is to take a referendum among the inhabitants. It is not expected that the matter will come before the Council before next week, and it is anticipated that the Council will refer the subject to a Special Committee.

Prince Arfaed Dowleh, the first Persian delegate, has addressed a letter to Sir Eric Drummond, the Secretary-General, based on the instructions of the Persian Government, drawing his attention to the fact that under Article 9 and Annex 4 of the Treaty between Great Britain and Irak, Persians are excluded from the legal *régime* applied to Europeans, Americans and Japanese.

The letter requests the Council and the Assembly to include the Persians in Irak among the foreigners provided for in the Treaty.—(Press Association's Special Correspondent.)

INTELLECTUAL INSTITUTE.

THE PARIS ESTABLISHMENT. OFFER.

BERLIN, Wednesday.

The Intellectual Co-operation Commission of the League of Nations recently discussed the French offer to establish an International Institution for Intellectual Co-operation in Paris, and it has been announced in the French Press that Professor Einstein, who was a member of the Commission, unreservedly approved the French proposal.

To-day Professor Einstein declares in the *Berliner Tageblatt* that in the course of the debate on the French proposal he pointed out how dangerously this project might affect the Commission's position, and that his views were shared by Professor Gilbert Murray and others. His standpoint was that the institution to be attached to the Commission must be of a really international character, and to that end it was essential that its seat should be in Geneva. In this he was supported by several States.

Professor Einstein's attitude was approved by the Commission after prolonged deliberations.—(Reuter.)

GERMANY'S ENTRY.

LORD PARMOOR'S TALK WITH REICH DELEGATES.

BERLIN, Wednesday.

In view of the denial by Herr Stresemann of Lord Parmoor's statement that Germany's entry into the League was discussed at the British Minister's house at Henley during the London Conference, the Geneva Correspondent of the Socialist News Agency called on Lord Parmoor, who again declared that at a luncheon at his country house on August 10 he and Professor Gilbert Murray and Herren Marx, Stresemann, Luther and Sthamer had a private conversation on the League of Nations and the conditions of Germany's entry.

The facts were, Lord Parmoor said, that he did not address Herr Stresemann personally, but only through Herr Sthamer as interpreter, as the German Foreign Minister's English was "not of the best." Lord Parmoor asserts that as the conversation had been private, and Herr Stresemann was his guest, he did not like to continue the controversy on the subject.

His statement was confirmed by Professor Gilbert Murray, who said:—"There was a private conversation, which lasted about half an hour, in the course of which the whole problem was discussed. I am very astonished that Herr Stresemann cannot recall this to mind. Moreover, later in the garden of his house, Lord Parmoor had a long talk with Herr Sthamer. I may point out that at that time Lord Parmoor and I had already been appointed delegates to Geneva, which fact was known to the German gentlemen."—(Reuter.)

An official Note maintains the correctness of yesterday's official denial, and emphasises that neither the Chancellor, the Foreign Minister, or Finance Minister have any knowledge of a conversation about Germany's entry into the League of Nations. The Note goes on to say that, on the contrary, in the course of a conversation on August 11, in London the German delegates expressed surprise that this question was not discussed at Lord Parmoor's country house.—(Reuter.)

AMERICA AND THE LEAGUE.

CAUSTIC COMMENT ON ALOOFNESS.

NEW YORK, Wednesday.

The *New York Times* this morning has a leading article on President Coolidge's letter of greeting to the Convention of the American Legion on the subject of world peace. The newspaper refers to the passage:—"We are justified, as never before, in the hope for great accomplishments through the co-operation of the nations in the ways of peace." Commenting thereon, it says:—"True, but what nations, and where, and who is doing the co-operating? We know what is going on at Geneva, but the United States co-operates only by having an observer hiding in some corner or other."—(Reuter.)

LINER ON THE ROCKS

OFF CORK COAST.

CREW RESCUED BY DESTROYER.

ONE MAN KILLED.

The Leyland liner Asian struck the Stagg rocks, off Toe Head, Co. Cork, early yesterday morning, and last night it was reported that she would become a total wreck. The crew and passengers were saved.

The Asian was bound for Liverpool from New Orleans, with a general cargo, and carried a crew of 75 and six passengers. She passed the Fastnet shortly after 4 o'clock, and an hour later, when the weather was foggy and the seas high, she struck the Staggs.

Wireless messages were sent out for assistance, and were picked up by the destroyer Seawolf, which was lying at Castletown-Berehaven; the steamer San Quirino, and at Queenstown. The Dutch tug, Wittezee, immediately set out from Queenstown Harbour, the San Quirino steered towards the Staggs, and the Seawolf raised anchor and raced to the rescue.

VESSEL ABANDONED.

In the meanwhile the Asian's position had rapidly become worse. Firmly wedged on the rocks, she was pounded by heavy seas, which sometimes swept almost over her, and it was obvious to the captain that she could not be saved. At 6 o'clock, fearing that the vessel might heel over, he gave the order to abandon her. Although every member of the crew recognised the danger, there was no hint of panic, and the difficult task of lowering two boats was accomplished safely.

One of the boats had no sooner left the shelter which the wreck afforded than it was caught by a wave and capsized. The occupants—all members of the crew—had a hard struggle for life. Some of them were dashed against the rocks and injured when they tried to swim to the second boat, in which were the captain, passengers, and the majority of the crew. After several unsuccessful attempts, the captain managed to bring his boat close to the rocks, and all the men were pulled on board. One of them, however, Patrick Flood, a fireman, of Paradise Gardens, Liverpool, was severely injured, and died later on board the Seawolf.

RESCUED.

The Seawolf reached the Staggs shortly before 8 o'clock, and found the Asian breaking up. The boat by this time had disappeared, but the Seawolf's commander made a wide sweep and soon found it, with the members of the crew toiling painfully at the oars. All of them were in a state bordering on exhaustion, but the majority revived quickly when they were supplied with hot drinks and dry clothing. The injured received first aid, but very little could be done for Flood, who died soon after he had been taken on board.

The survivors were landed at Bantry in the afternoon.

The chief officer of the Asian, in an interview with our Bantry Correspondent, said that she struck the rock at 5 a.m. There was a thick fog, and high seas were running. The vessel sent out S.O.S., and the destroyer Seawolf arrived at the Staggs within three hours from the time she received the message.

The crew and passengers, he added, were in the boats for more than two hours. One of the boats, which contained a number of the crew, was capsized, and its crew were in the water for over half an hour, and were in imminent danger of perishing until they were picked up by the captain's boat.

The passengers and crew speak in glowing terms of their treatment on board the destroyer, and of the kindness of Mr. C. Donovan, the local agent for the Leyland Line, who took charge of them when they arrived at Bantry.

BROKEN IN TWO.

The captain of the Wittezee reported last night that when he reached the Staggs he found that the Asian had been abandoned. She had broken in two, and the forward mast had been washed overboard. Heavy seas were breaking over her.

Captain Woods, the Asian's commander, believes that if the weather moderates it will be possible to salve part of the cargo.

The Asian, a vessel of 5,614 registered tonnage, was built by Caird and Co., of Greenock, in 1898.

PRESIDENT COSGRAVE'S ENGAGEMENTS.

BRITISH VISITORS TO DUBLIN.

FROM OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

President Cosgrave has accepted the invitation of Piltown (Co. Kilkenny) Agricultural Society to be present at the annual Agricultural Show at Piltown to-day. The President is to make the journey by motor car, leaving Dublin this morning. He has been invited to remain in his constituency for a few days, but it is thought that pressure of business will necessitate his return to Dublin to-night.

Mr. P. J. Hogan, the Minister of Agriculture, is on a visit to Holland, where he is making a study of local agricultural conditions and methods.

With regard to the proposed visit to the Irish Free State of a mixed party of members of the British Parliament, no definite programme has been arranged. The party will arrive in Dublin on Saturday next, and will, it is expected, remain in the capital interviewing members of the various political parties. During their stay they will receive Nationalist deputations from Tyrone, Fermanagh, Derry City, and other Northern districts.

OBITUARY.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL JAMES CAMPBELL.

The death of Lieutenant-Colonel James Campbell, D.L., which took place suddenly at his residence, The Hermitage, Sligo, yesterday, creates a serious gap in business, sporting and commercial circles. Born in 1850, the eldest son of the late Harper Campbell, he married, first, Charlotte Louisa, daughter of Christopher Carleton L'Estrange, Kevinsfort, Sligo, who died in 1885, and, secondly, Olive Beatrice Pilkington, eldest daughter of John Hornidge, Calverstown, Mullingar, who survives him. A prominent figure in the world of sport, he was for many years Master of the County Sligo Harriers. He was president of County Sligo Golf Club.

Lieutenant-Colonel Campbell was chairman of Messrs. Harper, Campbell, Limited, Sligo, since 1899; a director of the Sligo Steam Navigation Company, Limited, the Sligo, Leitrim and Northern Counties Railway, the Commercial Insurance Company, Ireland, and a member of the Sligo Harbour Commissioners. He served in the Sligo Artillery, and retired with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, had been High Sheriff of the county, and unsuccessfully contested South Sligo in the Unionist interest.

IRISH TRADE WITH BRITAIN.

BIG INCREASE IN CATTLE EXPORTS.

OFFICIAL FIGURES.

The figures of the overseas trade of Great Britain for August, published in the British *Board of Trade Journal*, show that in the first eight months of 1924 about 210,000 cwts. of oats were imported from Southern Ireland. Regarding bacon and hams, it is stated that if figures were available for the imports from the Irish Free State in the first three months of 1923, that year would probably show an excess over 1924.

Great Britain this year has sent to the Free State more than seven-eighths as much bacon as was received from it. Imports of eggs in August from the Free State shows a reduction.

In the five months, April-August, 554,529 live cattle for food were imported, as compared with 194,544 in the corresponding months of 1923.

In the same period Great Britain exported to the Irish Free State 1,286,800 cwt. of flour, 18,300 standard barrels of beer, 18,100 cwt. of cocoa preparations, 56,000 proof gallons of spirits, 397,000 cwt. of refined sugar, and nearly 640 cwt. of manufactured tobacco, compared with 952,000 cwt. of flour, 16,000 standard barrels of beer, 15,400 cwt. of cocoa preparations, 79,800 proof gallons of spirits, 394,600 cwt. of refined sugar, and 4,570 cwt. of manufactured tobacco in the corresponding period of 1923.

Of Britain's coal exports, 962,000 tons went to the Free State in the five months, April to August, as compared with 723,000 in the same period last year.

SHIPPING RETURNS.

The return shows that entrances with cargo from the Irish Free State in August were 289,000 net tons, and clearances with cargo to the Irish Free State were 358,000 net tons. The figures for July were 296,000 net tons and 385,000 net tons respectively. These vessels were practically all British.

Arrivals with cargo from Northern Ireland were 459,000 net tons in August, and 437,000 net tons in July. Departures were 445,000 net tons in August, and 433,000 net tons in July.

Arrivals with cargo in the general coasting trade were 1,444,000 net tons in August, and 1,439,000 net tons in July. Departures were 1,461,000 net tons and 1,431,000 net tons respectively.

The foreign tonnage engaged in the coasting trade and in trade between the ports of Great Britain and Northern Ireland is insignificant.

EMIGRATION.

The Board of Trade Journal also gives some figures dealing with emigration, and states that a remarkably high proportion of persons from 18 to 30 years of age is recorded in the emigrants from Ireland, being 71 per cent. for males and 66 per cent. for females. The percentage of emigrants above 46 was relatively low, being 4 per cent. for male and 6 per cent. for females.

Over a third of the male emigrants from Ireland were between the ages of 21 and 25 years, while of the females nearly a quarter fell in the age group 18 to 20 in 1923. The exact number of Irish emigrants is not shown.

THE BOUNDARY BILL.

BRITISH CABINET MEETING ON MONDAY.

The Political Correspondent of the Central News says:—Mr. Macdonald will be back in London on Sunday evening, and a Cabinet meeting has been summoned for Monday next. The Cabinet will consider the immediate business of Parliament on the 30th—namely, the Irish Boundary Commission, and also the Russian Treaty position.

Sir James Craig is remaining near London for a few days, although most of his colleagues in the Ulster Cabinet returned last night.

ULSTER'S GRAVEST DANGER.

Mr. John Gordon, Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Labour, Northern Ireland, speaking at an Ulster meeting at Liverpool last night, said that Ulster's gravest danger was from indifferent and irresponsible, so-called Protestants.

When Ulster agreed to a modification of the Act of Union they made it plain that they had reached the limit of their concession. If any attempt were made to hand over any portion of the present Ulster area to the Free State civil war was inevitable.

REPUBLICANS AND PARTITION.

Mr. George O'Daly, General Secretary, Sinn Fein, Dublin, speaking at a reception to ex-Republican prisoners in the Town Hall, Cavan, said that their work was only beginning, for they would not have partition in any shape or form, and they were not going into the British Empire over the dead bodies of their comrades. The young men who were prepared to face the firing squads like their hundred brave comrades would not betray the sacred cause for which the martyrs died. It was the young men, stout of heart, true of soul, who had saved the situation in the past two years, and they would maintain the Republic no matter from what quarter assailed. (Applause.) Sinn Fein, he said, was not a political organisation, but a national movement, the aim of which was complete independence, and when the crisis came there must be no backsliders or traitors as in 1921.

Mr. M. J. Smith, Vice-President of County Cavan Executive of Sinn Fein, said that the soldiers of the Republic were not lovers of war in the sense that other nations applied it, a war for conquest, but they were lovers of war in the sense that it was used to defend righteousness and justice. War in itself was a heinous and an evil thing, but greater tragedies than war could befall a country, and the greatest tragedy of all was surrender of the nation's heritage. (Applause.)

Mr. P. Smith, M.P., acknowledging the welcome on behalf of his fellow-prisoners, said that their definition for freedom was Tone's definition, Mitchel's definition, and Pearse's definition

THE OMAGH MEETING.

Arrangements have been completed for the conveyance of the Clogher Border loyalists to the county demonstration at Omagh on 24th inst. A special train will convey a large contingent, while the remainder will travel by motor. All the Protestant business houses will be closed in Clogher, while a few of the Roman Catholic proprietors have also agreed to close.

THE SOUTHAMPTON SKELETON.

CORONER'S INQUEST OPENED.

The Coroner's inquiry into the Southampton skeleton mystery was opened yesterday, and, after the taking of the formal evidence, was adjourned until October 8th. The Coroner said that he understood that the remains were those of Harry James Mabey.

Giving evidence of the discovery of the skeleton, Chief Inspector Lucey stated that Mrs. Mabey told him that the body was that of her son. Witness afterwards arrested the father and mother.

Dr. Ives, Police Surgeon, said that when he examined the body he found a dislocation of the spine, between the second and third cervical vertebrae, which might have been caused when the body was doubled up. It was impossible to express an opinion as to the cause of death, until Sir Bernard Spilsbury had completed his analysis.

The Coroner added that the parents had declined to attend the inquest.

BERENGARIA CALLING AT PLYMOUTH.

The Cunard Company's arrangement for calling at Plymouth with the express steamer Mauretania on the East-bound voyage from New York, before going to Cherbourg and Southampton, has proved so successful that they are making similar arrangements for the Berengaria, which is due to leave New York on September 24. Passengers for Great Britain will, in the ordinary course, have an opportunity of being landed at Plymouth at about mid-day on the following Tuesday, instead of at Southampton on Wednesday.

TO-DAY'S LONDON PAPERS.

IRISH BOUNDARY.

LORD DUNRAVEN'S VIEW.

The Times publishes a letter from Lord Dunraven, dated from Garinish, Sneem, County Kerry, September 13, in the course of which the writer says:—Lord Birkenhead's letter to Lord Balfour on the Boundary question naturally carries great weight, but it does not, I fear, do much to unravel the tangle we are in. It gives us a very valuable individual opinion, but I do not think that the problem can be solved by reference to the opinions, understandings, or misunderstandings of individuals. Moreover, it was not held universally; Sir James Craig, for instance, took a very different view. What is needed is some light upon the legal and constitutional aspects of the case. What can Parliament do, and what can it not do? Parliament is not omnipotent. It cannot interpret its own Acts. That is a matter for the Courts. Had Clause 12 become operative, the Commission would have exercised what it deemed to be its powers, and we should have known how the Commission understood the Act. The boundary was to be "such as may be determined by such Commission," but surely the Commission would not have been above the law, and if in the opinion of either party concerned it had grossly exceeded its powers, or had failed to exercise its powers, it would have been made amenable to the law and Courts would have interpreted the Act.

Unfortunately, the Commission became inoperative, and I do not know how the meaning of Clause 12 can now be ascertained. Parliament cannot interpret, but it can amend in order to make a clause conformable to obvious intention, and does so in ordinary cases. But the present case is not ordinary. The *status* of Northern Ireland must be compared with that of the Free State. *The Times* says in a leading article—which I have just seen—that the North has its charter no less than the South. Yes, but the charters are very different in character. The United Kingdom—if the term may be used now—consists of England, Scotland and a portion of Ireland. An Act of the Imperial Parliament, in which all these areas are represented, passed in 1920, gave to one of them large powers of local self-government. Is that delegation? Putting aside all questions of political morality, is the Imperial Parliament competent, from a purely legal and constitutional point of view, to deal as it likes with that Act? The position of the Free State is very different. It has the same constitutional *status* as the great Dominions. Its position in relation to the Imperial Parliament and Government, and in all matters of law, practice, and usage is the same as in the case of Canada. The *status* of the Free State and its relations with the Imperial Parliament are perfectly clear. The Act of 1922 cannot be altered by either party without the consent of the other. Delimitation of the boundary is an integral part of the Act. The clause has become imperative through a breakdown of the machinery provided, but the intention remains, and a Commission must be set up unless the Free State consents to forego it. And yet orators and a clamorous section of the Press seem to think it a simple matter to solve the problem by legislation binding both parties, or by altering the reference to the Commission. Legislation may possibly be binding upon the Northern Parliament, but the Free State Parliament cannot be so bound.

The problem is very complicated, but this much is clear—any action on the part of the Imperial Parliament infringing upon the rights of the Free State as defined in the Articles of Agreement amounts to denunciation of the ratifying Act and of the Treaty. Surely this is unthinkable. The great Dominions would be virtually concerned; the small nations of Europe would bristle with alarm; the League of Nations would have something to say. Ireland, and, as a consequence, Great Britain, would be plunged again into the sea of horrors and troubles from which the Treaty rescued them.

The Free State was not my ideal, and I hold no brief for it, but Englishmen love fair play, and I do appeal for fair play for it. I have thought, and I think, that a satisfactory and lasting solution must be looked for in settlement by agreement. I regret that the Northern Parliament did not see their way to appoint a Commissioner, because the sane and rational decision of an impartial authority would have provided a basis for mutual agreement. I hope that that desirable consummation is still possible, but it is not expedited by the conduct of certain sections of the Press and of some orators, whose virulence makes it difficult to avoid the conclusion that the object is to goad the Free State Government or the Irish people into some action that might wreck the Treaty and plunge us once more into civil war. Trouble is bubbling in Ireland. Is it not possible for North and South to combine by some means to save their common country and the Empire from consequences compared to which, should that trouble boil over, a boundary dispute would be trivial, indeed?

LORD SYDENHAM'S OPINION.

Lord Sydenham also contributes a letter on the same subject. After stating what he describes as the bed-rock facts of the situation, his lordship proceeds:—Now, if a Commission is appointed without any agreed terms of reference, it might adopt either of the two conflicting views in accordance with its interpretation of some vague legal language. Assuming the absolute impartiality of Mr. Justice Feetham and his colleagues, this involves risk which Ulster is rightly determined not to accept. If the House of Commons passes a bill to implement the 1921 Treaty, nothing will be gained by the Free State, because if the Commission adopts its view, Ulster will repudiate the decision, and it is absolutely certain that Ulster will not be coerced. That, in few words, appears to me to be the dilemma on the horns of which we seem to be impaled. If your advice and that of the Parliamentary Party is taken, or if agreement as to the terms of the reference to the Commission could be reached by direct negotiation, then, as you, sir, point out, the proposed meeting must give the two sides such an insight into the final phase of the problem as would be of inestimable value, if in the last resort the Boundary Commission was called upon to exercise its functions. I much regret that I cannot agree with your further view, that if the proposed direct negotiations were successful Ireland would at once enter into a new era of hope and faith. The dark forces which are behind the Republican movement will take care that this prophecy should not be fulfilled.

THE AUTUMN SESSION.

EFFECT OF ULSTER'S REFUSAL.

The Times Parliamentary Correspondent writes:—The announcement of the decision of the Ulster Cabinet that it cannot see its way to appoint a representative on the Boundary Commission has been followed by an immediate renewal of political activity. The Prime Minister had hoped to stay in Lossiemouth until the middle of next week, but on receiving the message from Sir James Craig he decided to bring his holiday to an end at once. He accordingly left Lossiemouth yesterday in his motor car, with the intention of proceeding to London by easy stages.

He is expected back at Downing street on Sunday night, and a meeting of the Cabinet has been summoned for Monday morning. It is understood that at that meeting both the Irish position and the Russian Treaty will be considered, but it is realised that the decision of the Ulster Cabinet makes it a moral certainty that Parliament must meet on Tuesday week to pass the Irish Bill.

MEDICAL OFFICERSHIP OF LIVERPOOL.

Dr. A. A. Mussen, B.A., M.D., of Dublin University, at present Assistant Medical Officer of Health, Liverpool, has been recommended by a special committee for appointment to the Medical Officership of the City, which will shortly become vacant by the retirement, after many years' service, of Dr. E. W. Hope.

There were twenty-nine applicants for the post, which carries with it a salary of £1,800 a year.

THE TREATMENT OF CONSUMPTIVES.

RECOMMENDATIONS BY INSURANCE BODIES.

NOTIFICATION AND ISOLATION.

LARGER POWERS FOR MEDICAL OFFICERS.

The National Association of Insurance Committees (Ireland), at a meeting held in the Council Chamber of the Dublin County Council, Rutland square, yesterday, adopted the recommendations of the Committee of Enquiry into National Health Insurance and Medical Services, one of which was that tuberculosis be included in the schedule of infectious diseases compulsorily notifiable. Preventive treatment and the provision of houses and nurses were also amongst the recommendations.

Mr. H. Barry (vice-chairman) presided, and Mr. J. Keogh Nolan acted as secretary, in the absence, through illness, of Mr. C. R. McCarthy. There was a good attendance of delegates. Letters of apology for absence were read from the Chairman and other members of the Association.

THE RECOMMENDATIONS.

The meeting took into consideration the recommendations of the Committee of Enquiry into National Health Insurance and Medical Services. These suggested that the present permissive health legislation be made mandatory on local authorities; that tuberculosis be included in the schedule of infectious diseases compulsorily notifiable; that power be given to the tuberculosis medical officer of health compulsorily to isolate persons suffering from tubercular diseases in cases where he considers isolation essential in the interests of public health; the effective inspection of cattle in respect of bovine tuberculosis; effective application of the tuberculin test to the milk supply; effective inspection of cowsheds and dairies; power to committees dealing with tubercular disease to afford preventive treatment (especially in the case of children) to persons coming under their observation who, although not actually suffering from the disease, are, in the opinion of the tuberculosis medical officer, especially liable to contract it; provision of treatment-training colonies for civilian patients whose pre-treatment occupations are especially unsuited to persons suffering from tubercular disease; provision of adequate housing accommodation and the subsequent making and enforcement of regulations against overcrowding; the abolition of the Medical Charities Act and the substitution for it of the extension of medical benefits to insured persons and their dependents; the preparation, under careful supervision of a register, of persons whose lack of means or whose occupation render them ineligible for inclusion in the insured medical benefit scheme, and the provision of medical treatment for this class.

The Committee suggested that the local health authority should be empowered to employ district nurses or to enter into arrangements with existing nursing associations to make available the services of district nurses in connection with the various county health schemes, and that in any health scheme provision should be made for safeguarding the rights of existing officers prejudicially affected thereby.

INSANITARY HOUSES.

The Rev. Canon Griffin (Ennis), speaking on the subject of preventive treatment and housing, said that patients, in a great many cases, returned, after treatment, to the houses in which they had contracted the disease, and if they could scrap all these insanitary houses and get rid of the miserable hovels where the microbes of tuberculosis were in the thatch and in the walls they would do much for the betterment of the people and the prevention of disease. Until this was done he did not see how they were going to stamp consumption out of the country. He advocated an effort to get the Government to bring in a whole-hearted scheme of re-construction and housing, which would do more than anything else to stamp out the disease of consumption.

The Chairman agreed, and, expressing his view on the question of dental treatment for school children, which was also raised, said that he knew some very large employers who were of opinion that it would be of great advantage to bring the matter before the Government. He thought that there should be a special recommendation to the Government in favour of dental treatment for school children.

Mr. Collins (Castlebar), referring to the recommendation that power should be given to the Tuberculosis Medical Officer of Health compulsorily to isolate persons suffering from tubercular disease in cases where he considered it essential, said that the whole question was one of ways and means.

The Chairman said that that was the great difficulty in Cork. Ways and means must be found.

Mr. Collins said that great strides had been made in the country since the formation of the Association, especially in regard to accommodation, but he regretted that there was not as much interest taken in housing in the towns as there was in the country.

Mr. McGloughlin said that they should put the housing question first on their programme when approaching the Government on the subject of tuberculosis, and press it as hard as they could.

The Chairman agreed that the housing question was one of paramount importance, and should be placed first on the recommendations to be put before the Government. It was really the kernel of the whole situation.

Miss Ffrench-Mullen said that while the housing problem was being solved something should be done to provide hut accommodation for the patients, so that they would not have to go back to their tenements in the city. It was not quite so bad in the country as in the city.

The Chairman said that the local committees could deal with the matter, and in the meanwhile the Committee would press the housing question on the Government as far as they could.

On the motion of Mr. Morrissy (Waterford), seconded by Canon Griffin (Ennis), the recommendations of the Committee were adopted.

USE FOR VACANT HOUSES.

Attention was drawn to the number of vacant houses in the country, including labourers' cottages, in which people could be housed, instead of having to live in congested thatched cabins.

The Chairman said that that was a very important matter. There were many vacant houses in the country which could be taken over.

Canon Griffin said that there were barracks and workhouses which could also be taken over.

Alderman Meade (Cork) suggested sending a resolution to the Local Government Department asking them to instruct local authorities to see that these vacant houses were occupied.

The Chairman said that the Local Government Department had no control over any houses in rural areas except labourers' cottages.

Alderman Meade said that the Government should see that all these houses were occupied.

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so as to get the people out of insanitary dwellings.

The Chairman said that there were houses vacant which could be made habitable at very little expenditure.

On the motion of Mr. Hull (Cork), seconded by Mrs. O'Kelly (Dublin), it was unanimously resolved:—"That the Minister for Local Government and Public Health be requested to have legislation introduced in the Dail, giving to him the same powers as those conferred upon the Minister of Health in England under the Ministry of Health Act (England), regarding the compulsory letting of unoccupied dwellings."

A resolution was also passed recommending dental treatment for school children.

DOMICILIARY TREATMENT.

Miss Hanly (Meath) complained that in Co. Meath they had not been able to get enough money from the authorities for the purpose of domiciliary treatment of patients.

Mr. Bradley (Cork) said that the amount allowed for the purpose was limited by Act of Parliament.

The Chairman said that the matter should be brought before the Commission, and it was agreed to do so.

Mr. Nolan read the correspondence which had taken place with the Minister of Finance, relative to questions bearing upon the administration of sanatorium benefit by insurance committees in the Free State, and differences outstanding between the Association and the Commission.

The Chairman said that he thought that, on the whole, the result of the correspondence was satisfactory. It would be well to have copies of the letters circulated among the members.

THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

A letter from the Secretary of the Insurance Commission was read relative to the nomination of four members of the National Association of Insurance Committees (Ireland) to act on the Advisory Committee during the year ending 31st December, 1924, stating that he was instructed by the National Health Insurance Commission to direct attention to the letter of December 14th, 1922, in which it was intimated that the number of representatives to be nominated by the Association was three, subject to the following conditions:—(1) One representative to be nominated for each of the Provinces of Leinster and Munster, and one for the Province of Connaught, including the Counties of Donegal, Cavan and Monaghan; and (2) one of the three to be a woman. In the circumstances it was requested that the Association would notify the nomination of the three members selected to represent it.

It was suggested in the discussion on the letter that four delegates should be elected.

Canon Griffin asked was there not a very real danger that if they did not accept the request made in the letter they would be deprived of any representation.

It was eventually decided, by 16 votes to 9, to forward the following names of representatives selected:—Mr. P. T. Kelly, Highfield road, Rathgar, Dublin, to represent Leinster; Miss M. O'Brien, Ennis, Co. Clare, to represent Munster; and Mr. J. J. Collins, Castlebar, Co. Mayo, to represent Connaught. It was also decided that a strong recommendation should be sent forward to have the name of Mr. Daniel Taggart, Cavan, added to represent the Counties of Donegal, Cavan and Monaghan.

Votes of thanks to the Chairman and to Mr. Nolan concluded the business.

MOTOR CAR COLLISION.

TWO PERSONS INJURED AT THE CURRAGH.

There was a serious motor car collision on the Curragh main road on Sunday evening, when a car coming from the direction of Kildare, on the way to Dublin, collided with a Kildare car, in which were a number of persons returning from Newbridge. The collision occurred opposite the stone barracks in the centre of the Curragh main road.

It is stated that when the driver of the Dublin car saw the other car approaching he made an attempt to pull up, but notwithstanding the efforts of both drivers, the cars ran into each other. The Dublin car was struck on the front, and the steering gear was put out of order. The Kildare car was seen to turn over, and one of the men who were in it was afterwards found to be suffering from a broken collar bone. Another occupant of the car had a serious wound on the side of the head. A number others escaped without injury, as did all the occupants of the Dublin car. The injured persons were conveyed to the Kildare Infirmary, where they were treated by Dr. Coady and the staff.

ANOTHER WORKERS' UNION.

BRANCH ESTABLISHED IN LONGFORD.

On Monday night a public meeting under the auspices of the Independent Co-operative Union of Workers was held in the Courthouse, Longford, when Mr. Sean Lyons, T.D., addressed a large gathering of workers.

He referred to the recent road troubles in Longford and Westmeath, and in his opinion there appeared to be some ill-will between the workingmen as members of two different unions. He would guarantee, as far as the Co-operative Union was concerned, that they bore no malice towards any man working in an opposite camp. He earnestly hoped that all workers would recognise the foolishness of adopting unnecessary tactics in the matter of strikes. Unfortunately the workingman was led astray in many instances by leaders who had their own personal motives to serve. He was led out like a beast to the slaughterhouse, and not only did the so-called leaders succeed in compassing his ruin, but they were responsible for the suffering caused to his wife and children by depriving them of the means of sustaining life, and reducing them to a state of utter starvation. The Independent Co-operative Union did well in every county in which it was started, and overcame every obstacle put in its way. They succeeded in convincing their opponents that they were out for the good of the working man, and that they meant to leave no stone unturned to secure honest employment for him.

He was not in favour of unauthorised strikes, got up by irresponsible parties, which had the ruinous effect of wiping out families, and he sincerely hoped that the workers of Longford would have the good sense to recognise that the only legitimate means available to accomplish the best results was by unity and organisation and the desire to foster industry, and develop it. He hoped that it would be the last time the workers of Longford would be led astray, without first taking a vote of all its members as to whether or not they approved of a strike.

At the conclusion of Mr. Lyons' speech many members were enrolled.

THE LICENSING ACT.

RECENT WILL.

Sir John Blunden, fifth Baronet, of The Cottage, Castle Blunden, Kilkenny, who died on October 28 last (three days after the death of his father), aged 43 years, left unsettled personal estate valued for probate at £5,854, of which the personal estate in England is valued at £346.

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ARMY STORES.

CORPORAL SENT FOR TRIAL.

At the Rathfarnham District Court yesterday, before Mr. E. J. Little, Peter Crinion, a corporal in the National Army, was charged at the instance of the State with having, on June 24th and other dates, stolen a quantity of clothing, the property of the Government, from Tallaght Camp.

Mr. Lanphier, solicitor, Naas, defended.

Captain Francis F'spatrick stated that he was in charge of Tallaght Camp up to the 17th June. There was a large stock of what is known as unserviceable stuff in the hangars. The articles produced were similar to those which were in the hangars.

Patrick Delahunty, stationmaster, Clondalkin, stated that on the 19th June the defendant came to him and handed in two kit bags to be forwarded to Clara station, addressed to Mr. A. Crinion, Kilbeggan. On the 27th June he handed in a kit bag similarly addressed.

Guard McManus, Kilbeggan, stated that on the 6th July he visited Anthony Crinion's house at Kilbeggan, and found five kit bags, three oil sheets, one pack, three Cardigan jackets, twenty pairs of military breeches, eleven towels, five sheets, and three Army blankets.

The accused was sent for trial to the next Circuit Court.

THE FISH MARKET DISPUTE.

EFFECT ON PRICES IN THE SHOPS.

The Dublin fish trade was carried on as usual yesterday as the result of the temporary removal of the embargo by the Transport Workers' Union on fish purchased in the Corporation Market. This step was taken, it was announced, because of this week's three days of abstinence from fresh meat on the part of the Roman Catholic population.

Owing largely to the uncertainty of the position only a small supply of fish was brought to the market, with the result that prices were higher in the fishmongers' shops. Hake was up by 4d. to 1s. 8d. a pound, and herrings were 4d. each. The market will be open again to-day. The trawlers as they arrive in the Liffey are tied up on discharge and their crews' paid off.

The crux of the situation will come on Saturday with the expiration of the week's notice to the employés of salesmen in the market. As far as can be ascertained an effort is being made to arrange the dispute between the Transport Workers' Union and the newly-established Workers' Union, which is the cause of the trouble. The Transport Union say that they control the men who would handle fish arriving from Great Britain for delivery in the shops, and they have an objection to this traffic. It is pointed out that even if such supplies could reach the shops the prices would probably be so prohibitive as to necessitate a closing down.

IN WEST DONEGAL.

A SUCCESSFUL HERRING SEASON.

CONGESTS READY TO MIGRATE.

III.

BY OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

West Donegal has had a full share of this year's harvest of the sea. For several years the herrings deserted the North-West waters, but this year they returned in immense shoals, and the Donegal fishermen—unlike the fishermen in some other parts of the country—were prepared to make the most of their unexpected luck.

Kincassalagh, a few miles away from Dungloe, is the headquarters of the herring fishing, which gives a great deal of employment to the men of this area, including those of Aranmore Island, a mile or so off the coast. About one hundred local yawls, sound craft specially built to ride the rough seas of these fishing grounds, were engaged, as well as eight finely-equipped motor boats from Campbeltown. The herrings shoaled quite close to Kincassalagh, where morning after morning during a long season every boat landed a catch which would have been considered good in the palmiest days of the fishing, twenty years ago. Old fishermen said that they were the finest herrings in their experience.

HEAVY CATCHES.

For the week before last the total catches were 1,800 crans, which sold on the pier at from 31s. to 40s. per cran. This meant, in some cases, £200 for the five members of the crew of one boat. In the past a good herring season did not necessarily mean prosperity for the folk living among the rocks of the Rosses, because the fishermen had to take whatever the local shopkeepers chose to give them, and that more often in kind than in money. The Co-operative Society has played its part in remedying that state of things. In years before this the Society supplied the fishermen with nets and bought their catches at the highest market prices. This year has been an addition to the competition thus set up by the arrival of two American buyers.

Mr. Fionan Lynch, Minister for Fisheries, with Mr. Richard Mulcahy, T.D., arrived at Kincassalagh when the fishing was at its height, and saw what was needed to make the season a complete success. There was a shortage of barrels for the packing of cured herrings. This is an old want, which could be remedied without much cost to the Ministry. If skilled training were provided there is the human material for the building up of another small, but useful, industry in the Rosses.

The development and extension of the fishing industry in every conceivable way is what is expected from the Ministry for Fisheries. By none is it expected more than by those men of West Donegal, who by self-help and determination have brought themselves into a position of comfort, in the midst of natural conditions that no man in his senses would willingly accept.

MIGRATION.

At the present moment the estate, in which is comprised the almost innumerable holdings that make up the Rosses, is being surveyed, under the Land Act of last year. A dozen of the existing "farms" rolled into one would not, without some other resource, give a decent living to one family. The aim is getting the inhabitants out of such congested districts and planting them in other parts of Ireland where there is land available. In the past the migration problem has been a difficult one. Now, however, there are many families in the Rosses ready to take advantage of any scheme of migration into the richer districts. They are for the most part the younger married men with families, men who in Scotland have learned that sentimentality counts for nothing when it is a question of making a decent living. They will make the best type of migrants, because they have always had to work hard, and they are born agriculturists, or they would not be able to get such returns from the barren soil among the granite boulders, where their knowledge and labour are now being applied. They would be an addition of value to the life of any community in any part of the country.

THREAT TO BURN A HOUSE.

SMART PUNISHMENT AT RATHFARNHAM.

At the Rathfarnham District Court yesterday James Smith, Corballis, was charged with having maliciously injured beds and bedding at his mother's house at Corballis on the 17th August.

Mrs. Smith said that her son asked her for 4s. and she said that she had not got it. He then said that he would burn the house, and she ran out for the Civic Guard. When she returned she found the beds and bedding saturated with paraffin oil and her son was gone. He was arrested about a mile away.

The prisoner was sentenced to twelve months' imprisonment with hard labour.

"IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE."

DUBLIN FIRM'S TWENTIETH ANNIVERSARY.

In our advertising columns to-day is announced the continuation of the Souvenir Drapery Sale organised by Messrs. Robert and Co., of Grafton street, Dublin, in celebration of the twentieth anniversary of their trading. The principal point about this sale is that every twentieth customer making a cash purchase will have the full amount of his or her cash refunded. There is no limit to the amount of the purchase refunded. We are informed that the scheme is under the supervision of a well-known firm of chartered accountants in Dublin, and in a few days they hope to be able to publish authentic figures as to the number of people who participated in the scheme.

The original idea was to present each customer in the store with a souvenir, but it has been decided that it would be better to give to every twentieth customer a more substantial souvenir. That is how the scheme was originated.

LAND PURCHASE TABLES.

Mr. George M. Meares, solicitor, of 16 Molesworth street, Dublin, has compiled a series of Land Purchase tables, in connection with sales under the Saorstat Eireann Land Act, 1923, with the object of assisting solicitors and agents in preparing the forms which have to be lodged in connection with sales under the Act. The tables give the judicial rent, from a penny to £1,000, standard purchase annuity, purchase price repayable by tenant, and price payable to owner under Section 25, and they relate to holdings subject to judicial rents fixed before the 16th of August, 1911, and to holdings subject to judicial rents fixed after the 15th of August, 1911. The "Land Purchase Tables," though small in bulk, represent a great deal of labour, and will be an immense time-saver, as well as a useful reference work. The tables are printed in clear type, on good paper, and are published by Messrs. Hely's, Ltd., Dame street, Dublin. The price of the publication is 5s. net.

THE METHODIST CHURCH.

Irish Methodism has ninety-nine Christian Endeavour Societies, with 4,839 members, who last year contributed for the support and work of the Christian Endeavour missionary, Dr. Richard Hadden, £270, and for other work £460, an increase of £100.

The Rev. T. Scott, formerly an Irish Methodist missionary, but now a minister of the Canadian Methodist Church, has visited the Irish Methodist Conference.

The Rev. Arthur S. Peake, the well-known Biblical expositor, has been invited to deliver a course of lectures at the Vanderbilt University, U.S.A., but will not be free to comply with the request before 1929.

PROVINCIAL BANK CLERKSHIPS.

Candidates should note that pupils of ROSSE COLLEGE, Sherborn's Green, Dublin, gained 10 of these Clerkships during 1923, and 9 during the present year.—(Advt.)

TELL-TALE SMOKE.

POTEEN-MAKING IN THE OX MOUNTAINS.

At the Tobercurry Court, before District Justice Flattery, Michael Gallagher, Tullyvilla; Martin Calvey, Sessuegarry; Joseph Quinn, Sessuegilroy, and James O'Dowd, Sessuecommon, were charged under the Public Safety Act with being actively engaged in the manufacture of illicit spirits.

Sergeant McGahy, Aclare, stated that a party of Guards saw the smoke of a "still" fire in a lonely part of the Ox Mountains, and when the poteen makers were almost surrounded they tried to escape. After a chase the four defendants were caught and taken to Tobercurry. The "still" was in full working order, and a barrel of "wash" was concealed near it.

The District Justice said that he was not going to deal with the poteen traffic by kid glove methods. He sentenced Gallagher, Calvey and Quinn to three months' imprisonment with hard labour, and, in addition, imposed fines of £25 on each of them, or in default another three months' imprisonment. O'Dowd was sentenced to a month's imprisonment with hard labour, and was fined £10 or another month.

At the same Court Thomas McDonagh, Carrowndin, was sentenced to fourteen days' imprisonment with hard labour, and fined £5 or an additional fourteen days for having poteen in his possession, as well as materials for making illicit stills.

Another man was sentenced to fourteen days' imprisonment for having poteen, portion of a still and matrials for making stills in his possession.

The District Justice complimented Sergeants Potter and McGahy for the manner in which they were dealing with the poteen traffic in the district, and asked the Inspector to bring their work before his authorities with a view to suitable recognition.

PICKETS AT THEATRES.

EX-SERVICE MEN'S DECISION IN DUBLIN.

A meeting of unemployed men who had been in the British Service, Army and Navy, and whose case it is that they do not belong to any other organisation, was held yesterday in the Hall, Deverell Place, Lower Gardiner street, under the auspices of the Council of the Unemployed.

The Chairman of the Council of the Unemployed, Mr. R. Lennon, said that at present their proposal was to tackle the question of "one man, one job." There were, he said, men employed in the Dublin theatres at night who earned good wages by their day's work, and who, he thought, should be satisfied with that, and not stand in the way of men who were unemployed. He asked for volunteers to act as pickets outside the theatres that evening. They had, he said, a list of men who held several jobs, and it was proposed to take action in such cases.

Mr. M. O. Maolain, Hon. Secretary, said that the Council of the Unemployed had already created a stir, and as a result some men who had held two jobs had got their walking papers, and, at least, one man had resigned his second job. Men who had day jobs should leave night jobs alone, and give the unfortunate fellows who had no job a chance. In the "picketing" they wanted no "hooliganism" or disorder, but ordered organisation to remedy the grievance. He complained that the Council of the Unemployed had not received any financial assistance from any trades union except the Municipal Employes' Association, and the Fire Brigade Men's Union, which permitted them to collect at the fire stations. The Council would do all that was possible to prevent eviction in dealing with cases of men who had been cut off in unemployment.

The Chairman (Mr. Lennon) said that the Council of Unemployed did not wish to clash with the Legion of Ex-Service Men, the Veterans, or any other organisation of ex-Service men.

Arrangements were made to picket the theatres at night.

A number of men arrived at the Royal and Tivoli Theatres last night and were about to form themselves into pickets when they were approached by policemen and requested to leave. They immediately complied and went away quietly.

DUBLIN CLERGYMAN IN BELFAST.

INSTALLATION OF THE REV. F. GIBSON.

The Rev. Frederick Charles Gibson, B.A., of Ormond quay Presbyterian Church, Dublin, has been installed minister of the Shankill road Mission, Albert Hall, Belfast, and last night a reception of members of the congregation was held, when a cordial welcome was extended to Mr. Gibson. The call was made to him on the resignation of the Rev. Dr. Henry Montgomery, who will, while retiring from active duty, continue the supervision of the missionary work.

The Installation Service was conducted by the Rev. W. Neyla, M.A., LL.B., Moderator of the Presbytery of Belfast, and the Rev. W. G. Wimperis was the preacher, while others who assisted were Revs. D. Johnston, D.D., Dublin; Dr. Henry Montgomery, Dr. W. Park, Dr. Lowe, Clerk of the General Assembly.

The Rev. Dr. Park paid fine tribute to the labours of the Rev. Dr. Montgomery in the district. He asked the congregation to give Mr. Gibson sympathetic encouragement and spiritual co-operation.

The praise was led by the choir, Miss Ruth Montgomery being at the organ.

The following representatives from Ormond quay congregation, Dublin, travelled North in order to be present at the congregational welcome to Mr. Gibson:—Mr. J. K. M'Connell (Clerk of Session), Mr. Thomas Johnston, Mr. Robert Robertson, and Miss Charles Heather. From the Dublin Presbytery were the Rev. Dr. Johnston, the Rev. Dr. Osborne, the Rev. R. K. Hanna, and the Rev. John Morrow. The Rev. T. C. Hammond, of the Irish Church Mission; the Rev. Lindsay Cullen, of the Methodist Church, and Captain Wallis, of the Y.M.C.A., were also present.

THE LATE VICE-ADMIRAL TISDALL.

Much regret was caused by the death of Vice-Admiral Vernon Archibald Tisdall of Martry House, Kells, at his residence, after a brief illness, on Sunday last. He had reached his 74th year, and was the son of the late John Tisdall, of Charlesford, Kells. He entered the Navy in 1863 and was promoted Captain in January, 1893. In 1905 he retired service, whether in China and other stations, with the rank of Rear-Admiral, and in 1908 he was created Vice-Admiral. Since his retirement from the Navy he cultivated his estate, and gave much employment. He was of a benevolent disposition, and by his kindness of heart endeared himself to all. His horses and ploughs were at the disposal of his employés for the asking, and he assisted the poor of the district in every way possible. He visited them in their illness, and took them, when necessity arose, to hospital.

The Vice-Admiral's funeral took place to the family burial ground at Martry on Wednesday, and the remains, encased in a coffin made from the wood on his father's estate at Charlesfort, was draped in the flag under which he served as a naval officer, and laid on it were his cocked hat and sword.

The cortège was extremely large, every creed and class being represented, thus testifying to the esteem in which he was held. The officiating clergy were:—The Rev. A. O. Tisdall (brother), the Bishop of Meath, and the Rev. F. J. A. Beere, Bishop's Chaplain.

The chief mourners included:—The Rev. A. O. Tisdall (brother), Mr. William G. Tisdall, Mr. George Cole-Hamilton, the Rev. Mervyn-Hamilton, Commander Cole-Hamilton, R.N. (nephews), Mr. Henry Vernon (cousin).

Among the general public present were:—The Marquis of Headfort, Sir N. Kerr-Smiley, Bart., Mr. J. Nicholson, Major Allen Montgomery, Captain J. Roberts, Mr. J. Law, Archdeacon Clinton, the Rev. R. Wilson, the Rev. R. R. Hewett, the Rev. T. L. Coulter, the Rev. R. Athey, Major Everard, the Representatives of 244 Masonic Lodge, Messrs. George Bomford, Watkins, Lloyd, and Whalley, W. Chaloner, J. Chaloner, C. and J. Nicholson, Allen, H. T. Carroll, J. C. and H. Cooney, T. and M. Dunne, J. Fairbrother, W. J. Wilson, Rear-Admiral A. Craig Waller, C.B., and Mr. M. Craig Waller, Dr. Ross, Messrs. J. Grey, George and William O. Greatrex, J. Lyster, R. Lyster, R. Hewson, P. Smith, J. Hardie, S. T. Barricale, the stewards of Martry, Messrs. Rothwell and Martin, and the servants of Charlesford. Messrs. Roddy and Dougharty, The employés of Martry, Charlesford and Allenstown were also in attendance.

The following sent wreaths of natural flowers:—Mr. and Mrs. Tisdall, Charlesfort; Rear-Admiral and Mrs. Craig Waller, Michael and Pat. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vernon, Lyle W. Mowell, Kirkpatrick and Brethren, Headfort Masonic Lodge (244); Mr. Harold Gardiner, the Marquis and Marchioness of Headfort, Sir N. Everard, Major Montgomery, Mrs. and Misses Rothwell, Mr. and Mrs. J. Henderson, Mrs. Reginald Radcliffe, etc.

DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

DUBLIN.

ALLEGED THEFTS FROM APARTMENTS.—In the Dublin District Court yesterday, Susan McClasker (52), a single woman, of no fixed address, was committed for trial on a charge of stealing blankets, shoes and stockings from houses in Haddington road and Hardwicke street. At a previous sitting of the Court the accused woman was put forward on sixteen other charges. In the charge sheet she was described as "a lodging-house thief," from Fermanagh. The police allege that the accused woman engaged apartments and stole various articles. When fresh charges were read to her yesterday morning the defendant said: "They are correct."

CAB OVERTURNS.—Four women in a cab forming part of a funeral procession in Marlborough street yesterday leaned to one side and the vehicle fell over. The women were not hurt.

PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

DEPARTURES—F. W. Berwick, J. G. Clough, R. G. Pearson, F. B. Turner, J. J. Vahy, A. Clough, W. J. McMullen, E. L. Hill, N. H. Orr, Miss H. Orr.

ARRIVALS—R. G. Pearson, F. Willnow, E. Feotien, S. Greenlough, D. Hooley, P. Dickie, A. Moran, C. Shaw, D. Burnett, J. McKeever, Miss A Stran, E. H. Jones.

CONNAUGHT.

STREET FAIRS PROHIBITED.—Castlerea Rural District Council has issued an order prohibiting fairs in the streets in Castlerea.

LEINSTER.

SAND FROM THE FORESHORE.—Thomas Brady was charged at Howth yesterday with taking a load of sand from the foreshore at Baldoyle. The County Surveyor said that to take sand from this area was a source of danger to the road. The defendant was fined 5s. and £1 costs. The Clontarf and Hill of Howth Tramway Company summoned Patrick Craddock, 12 St. Joseph's square, Clontarf; Patrick Keane, Raheny; Edward Wade, Brookside, Clontarf; and Thomas O'Shea, 42 Charleville avenue, North Strand, for taking sand and shingle from the foreshore of Dublin Bay. The men pleaded that they took sand from a distance of 150 feet from the shore, and that they were entitled to do this. The case was adjourned.

A HOWTH QUARREL.—At Howth yesterday Mrs. Mary Maxwell, Howth, charged Mrs. Keegan, Howth, with having assaulted her on September 8. The complainant said that Mrs. Keegan "caught me by the hair of the head, and (producing some hair in a paper), there's the hair to prove it." The defendant was bound to the peace for twelve months, herself in £10, and two sureties of £5 each.

LONGFORD EX-SERVICEMEN.—Longford Branch of the Legion of Irish ex-Servicemen have passed a resolution expressing the opinion that the organisation should become part, and take the name of the British Legion. Longford Branch has built an extension to its club rooms in the Market square. Subscriptions to the War Memorial Fund total £300.

SIXTY APPLY FOR SCHOOL VACANCY. Miss Anastasia Reddy, Dungarvan, has been appointed teacher of Coolroebeg National School, Thomastown, County Kilkenny. There were sixty applicants.

CHEAPER GAS IN DUNGARVAN.—It is announced by the directors of the Dungarvan Gas Works that the price of gas is to be reduced from 11s. 9d. a 1,000 feet to 10s., and if more than 9,000 feet is consumed during the collection period the Marigold (1s. 6d.).

LARCENY OF MOTOR PARTS.—Frank Myles, Frank Scales, Walton Watson, Alphonsus Wilson, and Jeremiah Lynch, of Limerick, were charged at Kilrush with maliciously damaging a motor car near Kilrush, and with the larceny of parts from the car. The cases against Watson, Wilson, and Scales were dismissed. The other two defendants were fined £5 each, and bound to the peace. In a second charge against Myles for driving a car while under the influence of drink, he was fined £10 and costs, and his licence was suspended for three months.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

THE BOUNDARY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—As one knocks about the country, meeting men in every walk of life, nothing strikes one so much as the contrast between the attitude taken by the Press, more or less inspired by the professional politicians, and that adopted by the ordinary man in the street or corn-field, towards the boundary problem. If you try to get the latter on to the subject, the usual reply is, "Who cares twopence about the boundary? We want to be allowed to settle down to work." Sentiment seems to be the predominant factor in Ireland at the present time. It is the main clause in every Act passed by the Dail, ranging from green pillar boxes to the appointment of representatives to foreign countries, some of which only import our goods to the amount of £10 to £20 *per annum*. That sort of policy will hardly convert the country into the Utopia of which we have been dreaming for a week of centuries.

To the ordinary readers of the Press it looks as if the politicians are afraid to touch what it left of our blood again thrown into the melting pot, to come forth once more bathed in blood and tears; but before they commit themselves to such colossal folly let them inquire whether a boundary, marked out by the mingled blood of North and South, would be worth the bones of a single trooper. So far we have scraped along fairly well as we are; so why should we not leave the question in abeyance for, say, four or five years? By that time many sad memories will have faded, and a joint meeting of the Colonial Premiers could settle the matter fairly to all concerned. A fair settlement is all that can be expected: one pleasing to the various parties concerned must be postponed till the Ides of March. If our politicians can take a sane view of the matter, we may soon call them statesmen.—Yours, etc.,

R. W. COATES.

Co. Wicklow, September 17th, 1924.

THE SIXPENNY TAX.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—On looking up statistics here I find that an average of 5,000,000 parcels goes every year into the Free State by post from Great Britain. At a tax of sixpence apiece this means a yearly burden of £125,000 to the consumer, which, capitalised at five *per cent.*, amounts to a debt on the taxpayers of the Free State of £2,500,000.

I do not know the merits of the case; but, if we are going to assume a further load of debt, let us realise fully what it means to all of us who own any property in the Free State which is liable for taxation.—Yours, etc.,

"OBSERVER."

London, September 16th, 1924.

RATHDOWN GUARDIANS.

THE CHANGE IN ST. COLUMCILLE'S HOSPITAL.

At the Rathdown Board of Guardians yesterday, the Chairman (Mr. A. W. Cullen) said that, with Dr. Merrin, he had waited on Mr. McCarron, Local Government Ministry, who stated that in the near future it was intended to convert St. Columcille's Hospital into a home for imbecile children, but that, meantime, patients from the old Wicklow area should be admitted to the hospital, and that an agreement should be entered into with the Wicklow County Board of Health to pay for those on a basis of the general average cost as ascertained at the end of each half-year. Considerable surprise, the Chairman said, was manifested at the amount of salaries shown in a return to ascertain the weekly average cost during the half-years ended September 30th, 1923, and March 31st, 1924, and a list of the officers with the amount of salaries was asked for. Comment, he said, was made on the number of officers as compared with the number of patients, and it was thought that a reduction was necessary.

The Ministry, he said, considered that the fever cases from their district could be treated in Cork street Hospital, Dublin, and that all chronic cases could be transferred to the Dublin Union Infirmary, while a small cottage hospital could be erected in their area to deal with non-chronic cases.

It was decided to enter into an agreement with the Wicklow Board of Health for the admission of patients from the Bray and Rathdown No. 2 districts on the terms mentioned, which will average about five shillings per patient per day.

THE SECRETARIAL COURSE at SKERRY'S COMMERCIAL SCHOOL, 10 Harcourt st., Dublin, is the best possible preparation for a Business Career, and includes expert tuition in Shorthand, Typewriting, Book-keeping, Office Routine, etc. Prospectus free.—(Advt.)

BALLYBUNION POLICE ASSAULTED.

Shouts of "Up, Rory O'Connor," were raised in Ballybunion early last Sunday morning, and when the police appeared they were roughly handled. Guard Toudy was injured on the head by a stone. Philip Brennan, Lacca, has been arrested in connection with the incident, and remanded.

COUNCILL'S INCOME TAX ARREARS.—At a meeting of the Berelaven, Co. Cork, Rural Council, the Clerk said that the authorities were claiming £52 income tax for the four years 1920-23. The Council considered that the authorities were going back farther with it than with any other public bodies, and decided to ask for particulars of the claim.

ULSTER.

KILLED BY HORSE AND TRAP.—A verdict of accidental death was returned at an inquest in Dramgorman, Donegal, into the death of Kate McGroarty, who was knocked down by a horse and trap last Sunday, and died of her injuries. The jury exonerated the driver. Peter McShane, the driver, was formally charged in Donegal with causing the death of the woman, and remanded on bail.

Thomas Naughton and William Walsh, Kilkee, were each fined £5 and costs for selling drink without a licence at a dance in Kilkee.

A verdict of death from heart failure was returned at an inquest yesterday into the death of Thomas Townsend, 55, of 8 Hardwicke street, Dublin, who was found dead in the porter's office of the National University Buildings, where for the last seven years he had been night watchman.

NORTHERN IRELAND.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS SOCIETY FETE.—Yesterday afternoon the Marchioness of Dufferin and Ava, who was accompanied by the Marquis, opened a garden fête at Narrow-water Castle, in aid of the funds of Newry, Warrenpoint and Rostrevor Branches of the Ulster Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. There was a large attendance. Lord Dufferin pleaded the cause of the Society's work. Much of the cruelty to dumb animals, he said, was due to carelessness or ignorance, and not to sheer cruelty. He advocated the improvement of cattle transport and the abolition of private slaughterhouses, as no one knew what went on in them, or whether the meat killed was tuberculously affected or not.

UNSTAMPED INSURANCE CARD.—For failing to stamp an employé's insurance card, James Turner, farmer, Findrum, was, at Ballygawley, Co. Tyrone, fined 3s. 6d. and £4 12s. costs, and ordered to pay £5 5s. 4d. contribution arrears.

Bell, refusing to present the card to the employer, was fined 5s. and 8s. costs.

CRIMEAN VETERAN DEAD.—Henry Stanley, Woodcor avenue, Belfast, a Crimean veteran, has died at the age of 92. He served in the Royal Artillery for twenty-one years, and was a gunner throughout the Crimean campaign. The funeral, with military honours, will take place to-day.

NOXIOUS WEEDS IN TYRONE.—Robert Best, farmer, was fined 6d. and 4s. costs at Ballygawley for failing to destroy noxious weeds within a specified time, as required by the Weeds and Agricultural Seeds Act, 1924.

PRISON FOR STRIKING HIS AUNT.—William McIlrath, Station street, Belfast, was sent to prison for a month, with hard labour, yesterday, and ordered to enter into bail to keep the peace for twelve months, for assaulting his aunt, Margaret Lynn.

DROP IN PORK PRICES.—There was a sharp fall in prices at Armagh pork market last Tuesday, the highest figure being 95s. a cwt. At the previous market 103s. was paid.

In Belfast yesterday, Richard Lindsay, who had previously been convicted 103 times, was fined 40s. and costs for being drunk and disorderly.

Mr. J. J. Kane has been appointed assistant master in the Belfast Royal Academy. Mr. Kane was classical scholar and prizeman at the University.

VALUATION APPEALS.

A DUBLIN LICEN...D HOUSE.

(Before Mr. George Newson, Referee.)

William Phelan, deceased.—This was an appeal against the value for estate duty purposes, £6,000, placed by the Commissioners on the licensed premises No. 28 Eden quay, Dublin, as of the date of deceased's death—viz., 15th April, 1920—the appellant's valuation being £1,430. The premises were at the date of deceased's death held under lease dated 1st July, 1901, for 31 years, subject to a rent of £76 18s. per annum. On the 30th December, 1920, the widow of deceased got a conveyance of the landlord's interest in the premises, subject to a perpetual rent of £46 5s. 1d., for £1,100. She sold the premises on the 31st December, 1920, for £6,500, and the purchaser at once sold his interest on 19th August, 1922, for £7,500.

Mr. W. J. Holden, auctioneer; Mrs. Phelan and Mrs. Brady gave evidence on behalf of the appellant.

Mr. Holden's evidence was to the effect that, owing to the short term of the lease unexpired at the date of death banks would not make any advance on the security of it, and this would greatly limit the number of purchasers; that owing to the short term these purchasers would not pay a substantial price, and, further, that at the date of the sale in 1920, according to his instructions, the business had considerably improved.

Mr. H. Sheppard, C.E., F.S.I., gave evidence on behalf of the Commissioners.

Mr. Lynch (Messrs. Lynch and Deering) appeared for the appellant.

Mr. Collins appeared for the Commissioners, and argued that as a landlord of licensed premises who resumed possession at the end of the lease could not get the licence, as the dispossessed tenant could get a transfer to premises in the immediate vicinity and would be entitled to compensation under the Town Tenants Act. There were so many discouragements to a landlord getting possession that the result was to give the tenant holding on a short term a practical fixity of tenure, and that, consequently, the premises with the short lease would fetch very nearly as much as if they were held on a long term.

The Referee reserved his decision.

The following appeals were also heard and disposed of:—Margaret T. Sankey, deceased; Charles F. Murray, deceased.

Messrs. Martley and Barlee appeared for the appellants.

Countess of Kingston.—This was an appeal from a valuation of £6,000 placed by the Revenue Commissioners on part of the demesne at Mitchelstown passing on the death of the deceased in 1909. The deceased, under the Land Act of 1903, had, in 1920, repurchased the demesne for £20,000, and it was vested in her subject to a Land Commission annuity of £650 a year. The appellant's contention was that, subject to the charge, there was no value on the property. The value was by agreement fixed at the £6,000 placed on it by the Commissioner, and the Referee awarded costs to the Commissioners.

Messrs. Moore, Keily and Lloyd, solicitors, appeared for the appellant; and Mr. Collins for the Commissioners.

FINES ON MILK SELLERS.

THE WEATHER BLAMED.

A number of Dublin milk vendors were fined yesterday in the District Court, Dublin, in respect of samples of their milk, which were taken by Corporation Food Inspectors.

Thomas Birmingham, 16 Stoneybatter, was summoned for selling new milk deficient of 20 per cent. of its fats. The defence was that the milk was not interfered with, and the deficiency of fats was attributed to the weather. A fine of £2 was imposed.

John Tierney, 69 Upper Dorset street, was fined 10s. for selling new milk on July 31 which was deficient of ten per cent. of its fats. The defence stated that the milk was sold as it came from the cow.

Mrs. Emily Dockery, 16 Upper Dominick street, was fined 10s., in respect of milk deficient of ten per cent. of its fats. Interference with the milk was denied.

A similar fine was imposed on John Temple, 158 North King street, who was summoned for selling milk which was deficient of 8.5 per cent. of its fats.

Mrs. Catherine Moore, 5 Cottage place, off Sheriff street, who was summoned for selling new milk which was adulterated by five per cent. of water, said that she sold the milk as it was bought. She was fined 30s.

Thomas Sheerin, 50 Seville place, was fined £1 for selling buttermilk adulterated by 11.8 per cent. of its weight of water, exclusive of 25 per cent. allowed for churning purposes. It was stated, on behalf of the defendant, that the milk might not have been sufficiently stirred.

BROADCASTING.

TO-DAY.

The letters "S.B." signify a simultaneous broadcast from the station mentioned.

LONDON (2LO)—365 Metres.

1.0-2.0—Time Signal from Greenwich. The Week's Concert of New Gramophone Records. 4.0-5.0—Time Signal from Greenwich. Concert: The "2LO" Trio. A Talk on Fashion, by Nora Shandon. Froma West (mezzo-soprano). Careers for Women: Dental Surgery, by a Dental Surgeon. 6.0-6.45—Children's entertainment. 7.0—Time Signal from Big Ben, Weather Forecast, and First General News Bulletin. S.B. to all Stations. Percy Scholes (the B.B.C. Music Critic): The Fortnight's Music. S.B. to all Stations. Talk by the Radio Society of Great Britain. S.B. to all Stations. Local News. 7.35-8.0—Interval. 8.0—"The Harvest Home," and "The Compleat Angler," a dialogue. S.B. to all Stations. 10.0—Time Signal from Greenwich. Weather Forecast, and Second General News Bulletin. S.B. to all Stations. P. A. Mitchell Hedges on "Unknown Tribes—Uncharted Seas." Local News. 10.30—Ballet Music from Covent Garden. S.B. to all Stations. 11.0—Close. Announcer: J. G. Broadbent.

BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—385 Metres.

2.45-5.15—The "6BM" Trio: Reginald S. Mount (violin),

ROSCOMMON SHOW.

LARGELY INCREASED ENTRIES.

FINE COLLECTION OF CATTLE.

There was a big increase in the total number of entries for the thirteenth annual Roscommon Show, which was held in a park outside Roscommon yesterday. After the recent heavy rains the ground was somewhat sodden, and the weather in the morning was not propitious. A strong breeze, accompanied by showers, blew across the show ground, and it looked as if the display would be spoiled from a sightseers point of view. At noon the weather improved and visitors began to put in an appearance, the attendance during the afternoon being fairly good.

There was much to be seen, the entries in 152 classes amounting to 800, as compared with 300 last year. In the equine section there were some capital general purpose animals, especially among the brood mares, and there was also a select turn out of hunters.

The cattle section included well-bred Aberdeen Angus animals, Shorthorns, Herefords and Kerries, besides some good-conditioned stores.

In a well filled section for sheep, registered Roscommons from leading flocks of this native breed were conspicuous. Outstanding exhibits were Mr. John Keane's three shearling rams. One of these is really a wonderful specimen of the breed for his age, blocky and low set, with fleece of beautiful quality. This ram scaled 28st. and won first prize and the Challenge Cup at Ballsbridge.

Field crops, vegetables, flowers and fruit made a remarkable display. Potatoes were excellent as also were roots and cabbage. In addition, there was a representative collection of home industry exhibits, shown in the Harrison Hall, where a dance in connection with the Show took place at night.

The Judges were:—Horses and horse jumping—Messrs. N. O'C. Comyn, Ballinasloe; and M. Meares, Moyvore. Cattle, sheep, etc.—Messrs. R. Downes, Mullingar; and C. Jones, Creggs. Poultry, eggs, butter—Miss Donegan, Westport. Farm produce—Mr. J. Moore, Mullingar. Garden produce—Mr. W. J. Young, Mullingar.

Amongst those who acted as Stewards were:—Horses and horse jumping—Messrs. V. McDonnell, J. J. Doorley. Cattle and sheep—Messrs. J. Stoker and W. J. Flanagan. Field crops—Messrs. J. Kelleher, T. Collins and J. Hanly. Other purposes—Messrs. T. J. Fleming, W. Kelly, J. Delimore, J. McGrath, Miss D. Mulligan, Mrs. Cotter, Mrs. F. Maguire, John McTiernan, J. Dnignan, P. J. Gilooly, J. Brennan and T. Butler. The secretarial duties were ably discharged by Mr. N. P. Cotter.

HORSES.

In this department the Silver Cup, for the best half-bred horse in the Show, was secured by Mr. Val. McDonnell's Semper Parsus, a stylish hunter with nice manners, that had a walk-over in his class. For general purpose brood mares, Mr. M. J. McLoughlin was first, and Mr. T. Regan second. In the class for four-year-olds, likely to make a trooper or hunter, Lieutenant-Colonel C. Grattan Bellew took the lead, with Treble B., an attractive mover; Mr. J. Dowd's Gentle Lad was second. Mr. C. White was first and second in the class for three-year-olds, likely to make hunters, while Mr. J. E. Sandys was successful in the class for two-year-olds. In the foal class, Mr. Frank Geraghty was first and Mr. John Fallon second. In the two-year-old gelding or filly class, first prize went to Mr. John Cooney. For ponies under 14.1 hands, Mr. James Igoe was first and Master James White second.

In the farmers classes, Mr. Michael McDermott was first and Mr. J. Murray second, for brood mares. For yearling agricultural horses, Mr. Joseph Allen was first, while for foals, Mr. John Fallon was first and Mr. P. Farrell second. In the pony class, Mr. J. Igoe was first.

CATTLE.

There was a creditable muster of cattle. In the Aberdeen Angus bull class Mr. John Allen led with Farmer of Milford, a sire of great substance, by Ernest of Curragh. Mr. Michael Fallon's Pantonlan, a stuffy bull of good type, by Mulben Justician, was first. For Hereford bulls, Mr. Thomas Gilleran was first with one of great scale and substance. At the head of the shorthorn bulls stood Mr. John Dilmore's sappy roan five months' old calf, Mr. P. Walsh's big bull being second.

For cows in calf or milk, Mr. J. P. Dolan's fine exhibit was first, and Mr. M. O'Connor's second. For heifers of any breed, Mr. Luke Gilleran was first and Mr. J. Allen second. For registered dairy cows, Mr. P. J. Mulligan was first and Mr. Val M'Donnell second. Mr. P. J. Mulligan was first for a pair of young store cattle, Mr. J. T. Hession being second. A nice lot of Kerry cows was headed by Mr. James Feely's entry, Mr. Charles White's being second and Mr. T. Gannon's third. In the yearling shorthorn heifer class, Mr. John Dilmore was first and Mr. Pat Kelly second, while in the remaining classes for bullocks and heifers the successful exhibitors were Messrs. J. T. Hession, John Dilmore and P. J. Mulligan.

In the farmers' classes prizes went to Messrs. M. O'Connor, P. Farrell, Robert Scott and P. Kelly.

SHEEP.

There was quite a show of sheep. Registered Roscommons were a particularly good lot, the most successful exhibitor being the veteran flock-master, Mr. John Keane, Baltacken. In the ram class this well-known exhibitor took first and second prizes with sheep of wonderful symmetry. The leader was a cup winner at Dublin. He was also first and second for ram lambs and first for ewe lambs, Mr. M. O'Connor being second. For registered Roscommon ewes Mr. M. O'Connor was first and Mr. F. J. Flanagan third.

For non-registered Roscommon shearling rams, Mr. J. Kenny was first and Mr. J. Mannion second, while for older rams Mr. John O'Beirne was first and Mr. P. Farrell second. For ram lambs Mr. T. Gannon was first and Mr. J. Mannion second. In the Roscommon ewe class Mr. P. Kelly was first and Mr. J. Mannion second, while for Roscommon lambs (excluding rams) Mr. J. Mannion was first and Mr. J. Coyne second.

For Oxford Down rams Mr. L. Doorly was first and Mr. John Allen second. For hoggets of any breed Mr. J. Mannion was first and Mr. T. Gannon third.

OTHER DEPARTMENTS.

A new feature was provided in the shape of three classes for dogs—greyhounds, sheep dogs and terriers.

In a well-filled section for poultry, first prizes were awarded to Messrs. H. J. Finlay, James Kelly, R.D. Economy, Swinford; Mrs. A. Reddington, Miss B. Dolan and Miss Winnie M'Grath.

The display of farm produce, vegetables, flowers and fruit, as well as that of needlework and cookery, was extremely creditable. Considering the season, the crop samples were something of an agreeable surprise.

CLONES SHOW.

VERY SUCCESSFUL EXHIBITION.

The Clones Agricultural Show, which was held yesterday under the auspices of the Clones Farming Society, was a great success. There were some showers during the day, but the weather generally was favourable, and there was a large attendance. Established 85 years ago, the Clones Show has a fine record, and has done a great deal towards the improvement in the district of the breed of horses, cattle, sheep, pigs, and poultry, as well as the development of home industries, which have been a specially attractive feature of these shows in recent years. The show was well organised by an energetic committee and officials, all of whom displayed keen business capabilities.

There were over 800 entries in the various classes, while the quality all round was highly satisfactory. Root crops were as good as on any occasion in recent years. In the Industrial section the competition was very keen. The class for home-made soda cakes attracted no fewer than 35 entries. In several classes the merit was so high that more than one first and one second prize was awarded. The horses were altogether a fine lot, while in the Cattle section the shorthorns were exceptionally good.

Dr. Tierney, Clones, won the Challenge Cup for the best shorthorn bull, two years and upwards, with his splendidly proportioned animal, "Gradum Butterfly." The John Smyth Perpetual Cup, for the best shorthorn bull in the one-year-old class, was won by Mr. William Shelton, Gortnawinny, with "Straffan Collier," a very promising animal. Mr. Samuel Lattimer was awarded the Challenge Cup for the best heifer likely to make a dairy cow. Details:—

HORSES.

Stallion calculated to improve the breed of Agricultural Horses—1st prize, Adam J. Stewart, Swan's Cross, Ballybay—Danure McQuaid, dark bay.

Best Stallion Pony, not exceeding 14.2—1st prize, W. Cranston, Bailieboro'; 2nd, Robert Primson, Latton.

For Best Mare between 2 and 6 years' old, stinted this year to a stallion on Department's Register—1st prize, A. R. Reid, Kilmore (East), Monaghan—Silvo, s. Blayne Castle.

Best Mare or Gelding, any age, suitable for Agricultural purposes—1st prize, Captain Tofts; 2nd, Michael McKenna, Mullabrack Scott, Monaghan—Charlie, bay, 3rd April, 1920; 3rd, R. Scott, Ballinode.

Five-year-old and upwards, Hunter, Filly or Gelding, to carry over 13.7—1st prize, W. Donaldson, Emyvale; 2nd, R. G. Adamson, Athboy—red bay, 6 years; 3rd, Peter Carron, V.S., Cara street, Clones.

Four-year-old Hunter, Filly or Gelding, to carry up to 13.7—1st prize, B. Graham, Glasslough; 2nd, Alex. R. Reid, Kilmore (East), Monaghan.

Best Four-year-old Colt or Filly, suitable for Saddle or Harness purposes—1st prize, A. R. Reid; 2nd, Miss Taylor, Newtownbutler; 3rd, Lieut.-Col. J. C. Madden, Hilton Park, Clones.

Best Three-year-old Colt or Filly, suitable for Saddle or Harness purposes—1st prize, Donaldson Bros., Emyvale; 2nd, J. Warden, Caledon.

Best Two-year-old Colt or Filly, suitable for Saddle or Harness—1st prize, J. Warden, Caledon.

Best One-year-old Colt or Filly, for Saddle or Harness—1st prize, John Patterson, Kilmore East.

Best Gelding or Mare Pony exceeding 12.2 hands high, but not exceeding 14.2 hands—1st prize, Samuel Breadon—Boy Roy; 2nd, G. W. West, Cullyduff House, Newtownbutler; 3rd, Miss Tess Carron, Cara street, Clones—Athlone, chestnut.

Best Gelding or Mare Pony, not exceeding 12.2 hands high. Confined to counties of Cavan, Fermanagh, Monaghan, and Tyrone—1st prize, John McCague, Ballinode; 2nd, Alex. Montgomery, Ballinode; 3rd, Pat Donoghoe, Lettermore, Cavan.

Best Pony Mare, with Foal at foot, not exceeding 14.2—1st prize, John Armstrong, Cloncarn.

Best Mare or Gelding Ass, any age—1st prize, John Brady, Munily; 2nd, James Morgan, Clonmackin, Clones; 3rd, Thomas Johnston, Derrygoas.

CATTLE.

Best Shorthorn Bull, calved prior to 1922—1st prize, Capt. C. A. Windham, per W. Stoddart, Dartrey, Cootehill—Gay Lad; 2nd, Felix Kiernan, Glynch House Newbliss—Newbliss Augusta's Stamp.

Best Shorthorn Bull, calved in 1922—1st prize, Dr. Edward Tierney, Clones—Gradum Butterfly.

Best Shorthorn Bull, calved in 1923—1st prize, R. Wm. Skelton, Gortnawinney—Straffan Collier; 2nd, Alexander Donald, Fintona—Glenanane Rubicon; 3rd, John Armstrong, Lakeview, Belturbet—Patrick Broadhooks, roan.

Best Shorthorn Bull Calf of 1924—1st prize, H. Sythes, Cavan—Doagh Warrior; 2nd, John Skelton, Ashgrove Lodge—Dairy Meateor. 3rd, John Skelton, Ashgrove Lodge—Dairy Watchman.

Best Shorthorn Cow, visibly in calf or milk—1st prize, George F. Graham, Clones—Lady Grana Nile; 2nd, John Skelton—Marchioness Pride; 3rd, same—Roan Grana Nile.

Best Shorthorn Heifer, calved in 1922—1st prize, George F. Graham, Clones—Biddy Butterfly; 2nd, Dr. Ed. Tierney, Clones; 3rd, John Skelton, Ashgrove Lodge—Maple Leaf.

Best Shorthorn Heifer, calved in 1923—1st prize, H. Sythes, Cavan—Salterstown Broadhooks Beauty; 2nd, Thomas Mayclim, Miltown—Broadhooks Jem; 3rd, Edward Tierney, Clones—Champion Butterfly XVI.

Best Shorthorn Heifer Calf of 1924—1st prize, George F. Graham, Clones—Clones Orphan 5th; 2nd, same—Rosey.

Valuation Over £20. Open. Cow visibly in calf or milk—1st prize, Bleakley Bros., Clones; 2nd, Miss Peggie Smyth, Clones; 3rd, George H. Clarke, Monaghan.

Heifer calved in 1922—1st prize, Samuel Latimer, Kilnadrain.

Heifer calved in 1923—1st prize, George F. Graham, Clones—Rose Red; 2nd, Samuel Latimer, Kilnadrain; 3rd, John Crozier, Annies.

Heifer Calf of 1924—1st prize, W. J. Gillanders, Monaghan; 2nd George F. Graham, Clones.

Valuation £20 and under. Cow visibly in calf or milk—1st prize, George Forster, Mullanabinch, Rosslea—Crossbred Friesian Shorthorn; 2nd, Thomas McKernan, Clonamulin; 3rd, James McClelland, Dromedy—Dromedy Lady.

OPEN SECTION.

Best Dairy Cow on Department Register—1st prize, Edward Tierney, Clones—Broadhooks Maida III.; 2nd, John Skelton, Ashgrove Lodge—Marchioness Pride; 3rd, R. W. Skelton, Gortnawinney—June Rose.

Best Shorthorn Heifer, calved in 1922, the progeny of cow on Department's Register—1st prize, George F. Graham, Clones—Biddy Butterfly; 2nd, Edward Tierney, M.B., Clones—Broadhooks Maida VI.; 3rd, John Skelton, Ashgrove Lodge—Maple Leaf.

Best Shorthorn Heifer, calved 1923, the progeny of Cow on Department's Register—1st prize, Thomas Mayclim, Miltown, Rockcorry—Broadhooks Jem; 2nd, Edward Tierney, M.B., Clones—Champion Butterfly XVI.

Best Cross-bred Bull, any age—1st prize, John Crozier, Annies; 2nd, Edward Gregg, Clontivern—Warrior.

SHEEP.

Leicester and Long-Woolled Sheep. Best Long-woolled Ram of any age—1st prize, John Armstrong, Cloncarn; 2nd, Mrs. Fitzgerald, Clones.

Best Long-woolled Hoggel Ram—1st prize, John Armstrong; 2nd, George Gillespie; 3rd, Mrs. M. Fitzgerald, Clonavilla House.

Best Long-woolled Ram Lamb—1st and 2nd prizes, John Armstrong, Cloncarn; 3rd, Mrs. M. Fitzgerald.

Best Long-woolled Ewe, having reared Lambs in 1924—1st prize, John Armstrong; 2nd, Mrs. M. Fitzgerald; 3rd, John Armstrong.

Best Hogget Ewe—1st prize, John Armstrong; 2nd, Mrs. M. Fitzgerald.

Best Long-woolled Ewe Lamb—1st prize, John Armstrong; 2nd, Mrs. M. Fitzgerald.

Best Pen of Border Leicester Sheep—1 Ram and 2 Ewes—the property of the same exhibitor—1st prize, John Armstrong; 2nd, Mrs. Fitzgerald.

GOATS.

Male Goat—1st prize, B. Murtagh, Drumsloe.

Best Female Common Goat—1st prize, G. McCormac, Concra; 2nd, Joseph Reilly, Concra; 3rd, James O'Reilly, Aghadrumsee.

Best Half-bred Swiss or Anglo Nubian Goat in milk—1st prize, Jack Skelton, Gortnawinney; 2nd, George Foster, Gortnawinney; 3rd, same.

POULTRY.

Best Game Cock (Pit)—1st prize, Michael McDermott, Landbrack; 2nd, same; 3rd, G. McGowan.

Wyandotte Cock or Hen—1st prize, D. Barriskell; 2nd, Mrs. Cusack, Purcelstown House, Ardee; 3rd, James Morgan, Clonmarden.

Minorca Cock or Hen—1st prize, D. Barriskell; 2nd, Miss R. A. Hoey, The Marshes, Dundalk.

Leghorn Cock or Hen—1st prize, Mrs. Moffitt, Derrylush, Glasslough; 2nd, William Moorehead, Concra.

Rhode Island Reds, Cock or Hen—1st prize, Mrs. Cusack, Purcelstown, Ardee; 2nd, Miss Murray, Racecourse, Clones.

Rock Cock or Hen—1st prize, Mrs. Cusack, Purcelstown House, Ardee; 2nd, W. G. Breadon, Emyvale.

Favorelle Cock or Hen—1st prize, Miss D. Fiddes, Hollywood, Scotstown; 2nd, same.

Any other variety of Cock or Hen not classed—1st prize, W. G. Breadon, Emyvale; 2nd, Miss M. Fitzgerald.

Best pair of Table Chickens of 1924—1st prize, Mrs. Reid, Derrycramp House, Cavan; 2nd, Mrs. Averell, Clontivern.

Best Cock or Hen (confined to bona-fide labourers)—1st prize, James Morgan, Clonmarden; 2nd, same; 3rd, W. J. Toal.

Selling Class, any variety Cock or Hen—1st prize, D. Barriskell; 2nd, James Morgan, Clonmarden.

Best Turkey Cock—1st prize, Mrs. K. Lipton, Roseisland, Fivemiletown; 2nd, Mrs. Freeman, Garron, Newbliss.

Best Turkey Hen—1st prize, Mrs. Noble, Roundpark House, Lisnaskea; 2nd, Miss R. A. Hoey.

Best Gander or Goose, any variety—1st prize, Joseph McMurray, Portadown; 2nd, Mrs. Fitzgerald.

Best Drake or Duck, any variety—1st prize, J. F. Whitsitt, Sterling Lodge, Clones; 2nd, Miss R. A. Hoey, Dundalk.

Best Drake or Duck, Indian Runner—1st prize, J. Magill, Newcastle, Co. Down; 2nd, Miss T. Breadon, Emyvale.

Best pair of Goslings of 1924—1st prize, Miss Murray; 2nd, same.

Best pair of Turkeys of 1924—1st prize, Mrs. A. Mulligan, Liseggerton; 2nd, Mrs. T. H. Blackburne, Corcreeghy.

Best pair Pure-bred Pullets, 1924 (hatched from eggs procured from a County Monaghan station)—1st prize, Miss T. Breadon, Emyvale; 2nd, Mrs. Blackburne, Corcreeghy.

Best pair of live Table Chickens of 1924—1st prize, Mrs. Madden, Hilton Park; 2nd, Miss T. Breadon, Emyvale.

INDUSTRIAL SECTION.

CROCHET WORK AND EMBROIDERY, ETC.

Best specimen Man's Hand-knitted or Crochet Waistcoat or Cardigan Jacket—1st prize, Miss Brigid Kelly, Henry street, Bailieboro', Co. Cavan; 2nd, Mamie Carroll, College street, Cavan; 3rd, Miss K. Duffy.

Man's Shirt or Pyjamas (hand-made).—1st prize, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan; 2nd, Miss Brigid Kelly, Newry street, Bailieboro', Co. Cavan.

Ladies' Hand-made Silk Jumper—1st prize, Mrs. T. H. Blackburne, Corcreeghy, Monaghan, and Miss K. Duffy; 2nd, Miss Brigid Kelly, Henry street, Bailieboro', Co. Cavan, and Miss M. Moffett, Derryhusk; 3rd, Miss Delia Johnston, Clones. There were two first and two second prizes given in above class.

Lady's Hand-made Woollen Jumper—1st prize, Miss Agnes McGrory, The Diamond, Clones; 2nd, Miss M. Donald, Drumkeen, Ballinamall; 3rd, Miss Miss M. Duffy.

One Night Dress—1st prize, Miss Agnes McGrory, The Diamond, Clones; 2nd, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan; 3rd, Miss Noreen J. McGrory, The Diamond, Clones.

Boy's Coloured Shirt—1st prize, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan; 2nd, Miss Margaret Wilson, Garvery Hill, Enniskillen.

Any Article of Lady's Underclothing—1st prize, Miss Gilmore, Ardess, Kesh, Co. Fermanagh; 2nd, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan; 3rd, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan.

One Pair of Hand-knit Socks or Stockings—1st prize, Miss Margaret Wilson, Garvery Hill, Enniskillen; 2nd, Miss Meta E. Robinson, Waveney road, Ballymena, and Mrs. T. H. Blackburne, Corcreeghy; 3rd, Mrs. Tofts, Monaghan.

Specimen of Darning Holes in Stockings caused by natural wear—1st prize, Miss Carrie Clarke, Drumagelvin, Glasslough; 2nd, Miss A. Maxwell, Corwillian, Castleshane; 3rd, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan.

CROCHET AND LACE.

Any Article in Irish Crochet—1st prize, Miss K. McMahon, Knocknalosett; 2nd, Miss Margaret Wilson, Garvery Hill, Enniskillen.

One Piece of Fine Crochet Lace—1st prize, Miss Murray; 2nd, Miss Agnes McGrory, The Diamond, Clones; 3rd, Miss Meta E. Robinson, Waveney road, Ballymena.

Tray or Sideboard Cloth, Trimmed with Irish Lace—1st prize, Miss Noreen J. McGrory, The Diamond, Clones; 2nd, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan.

Centre Piece worked in White Cotton—1st prize, Miss Noreen J. McGrory, The Diamond, Clones; 2nd, Miss M. Duffy, Millbrook, Clones.

One Pair Hand-knitted Woollen Gloves, made by Exhibitor—1st prize, Miss Margaret Wilson, Garvery Hill, Enniskillen; 2nd, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan.

One Pair Hand-made Mercerised Cotton Gloves—2nd prize, Mrs. T. Flanigan, Castleblayney.

Best Irish Crochet Collar—1st prize, Miss Murray; 2nd, Miss K. McMahon.

CHILDREN'S ENTRIES.

Specimen of Patching in Linen or Cotton Holes caused by natural wear. Children under 15 years—1st prize, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan; 2nd, Miss Janie Ross, Public Elementary School, Colebrooke, Brookeborough.

Specimen of Patching Print or Pattern—1st prize, Miss A. Maxwell, Corwillian, Castleshane; 2nd, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan; and Miss Emily Ross, Colebrooke Public Elementary School, Brookeborough.

Child's Flannel Petticoat, made by child under 16 years—1st and 2nd prizes, Children of St Martha's School, Monaghan.

Child's Blouse of Cotton or Muslin, Hand-made by girl of 16 or under—1st and 2nd prizes, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan.

Child's Overall, Hand-made (Untrimmed), made by child under 14 years—1st and 2nd prizes, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan.

Handkerchief, Hand-made, Hemmed by child under 10 years—1st prize, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan, and Miss Katie McDonald, Edenbrone; 2nd, Miss Marion Clarke (M.S.), 29 Belmore street, Enniskillen.

For best Sample Piece of Needlework from Pupils attending National Schools—1st prize, Miss Emily Ross, Colebrooke Public Elementary School, Brookeborough; 2nd, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan; 3rd, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan.

Best Pair of Child's Socks or Stockings, made by child under 14 years—1st prize, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan; 2nd, Miss Eva Ross, Colebrooke Public Elementary School, Brookeborough.

Child's Overall, confined to pupils attending National Schools—2nd prize, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan.

Girl's Pianofore with Yoke, confined to pupils attending National Schools—1st prize, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan; 2nd, Miss Emily Ross, Colebrooke Public Elementary School; 3rd, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan.

Any Article of Lady's Underclothing, confined to pupils attending National Schools—1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes, Children of St. Martha's School Monaghan.

Best Home-spun or Home-knitted Women's Garment—1st prize, Miss Minnie O'Rourke, Cavan; 2nd, Miss H. C. Hamilton, Castleblayney.

LAUNDRY WORK (Laundresses Excluded).

Best Made-up Table Cloth—1st prize, Mrs. Thomas Tubman, Clones; 2nd, Children of St Martha's School, Monaghan.

Best Made-up Lady's White Underskirt—1st prize, Children of St. Martha's School, Monaghan.

BREAD, ETC.

Home-made Oven Soda Cake—1st prize, Mrs. Jack Stratton, Mrs. Cowan, Drumloo, Newbliss; Miss Wheatley, Owenskerry; and Miss Sara Crawford, Drumohill, Florence Court, Enniskillen. 2nd, Miss Cissie Whitten, Tullynuckle, Fivemiletown, and Miss E. Doogan; 3rd, Miss S. Crawford, Drumohill, Florence Court, Enniskillen.

Home-made Wholemeal Brown Bread, made from meal only—1st prize, Miss Sara Crawford, Drumohill, Florence Court; 2nd, Miss Murray; 3rd, Mrs. Cowan, Drumloo, Newbliss.

Home-made Brown Bread, mixed with flour—1st prize, Carrie Clarke, Drumagelvin, Glasslough; 2nd, Mrs. Cowan, Drumloo, Newbliss.

Home-made Fruit Cake, not less than 1lb.—1st prize, Mrs. Cowan, Drumloo, Newbliss; 2nd, Kathleen Clerkin, Bank of Ireland; 3rd, Miss Murray.

Best Sponge Cake—1st prize, Queenie Stratton; 2nd, Mrs. Cowan, Drumloo, Newbliss; 3rd, Mrs. T. H. Dawson.

Best Jam Roll—1st prize, Miss Reilly; 2nd, Rosie Black, Roseville, Clones; 3rd, Carrie Clarke, Drumagelvin, Glasslough.

Best Seed Cake—1st prize, Miss A. Reilly; 2nd, Miss Dawson and Queenie Stratton.

Plate of 4 Plain Soda Scones—1st prize, Mrs. S. Cochrane.

Best 4 Scones of Potato Bread—1st prize, Miss Wheatley, Owenskerry; 2nd, Miss Sara Crawford, Drumohill, Florence Court, Enniskillen; 3rd, Mrs. Jack Stratton.

Plate of 4 Crumpets—1st prize, Mrs. M. E. Hamilton; 2nd, Mrs. Jack Stratton.

Best Boxtie Cake—1st prize, Mrs. S. Cochrane; 2nd, Miss Wheatley.

Best Bowl of Vegetable Soup—1st prize, Sheila Starkey, Bank of Ireland.

BUTTER.

Best 1lb. Roll of Butter, salted, made from non-separated milk—1st prize, Mrs. Cowan, Drumloo, Newbliss; 2nd, Mrs. M. Armstrong; 3rd, H. Haire Forster, Ballynure.

Best ½lb. of Butter, salted, made from non-separated milk—1st prize, Mrs. Cowan, Drumloo, Newbliss; 2nd, Mrs. Collins, Derryanna.

Best 1lb. Roll of Butter, unsalted (home-made butter)—1st prize, Mrs. Madden, Hilton Park, Clones; 2nd, Mrs. M. Armstrong; 3rd, Mrs. Cowan, Drumloo, Newbliss.

Best 6lbs. of Creamery Butter in 1lb. lumps—1st prize, Clones Co-Operative Agricultural Society, Ltd.

JUMPING AND DRIVING.

Among the awards announced for jumping and driving were the following:—

Single Harness Turnout, for ponies 13.3 hands and under—1st prize, J. Mullan, Cloghnart, Monaghan; 2nd, Vance Bros., Scarva House, Clones; 3rd, J. McCague, Ballinode.

Riding Competition—Horses at least 15 hands (Gentlemen)—1st prize, Donaldson Bros., Emyvale—Pepo; 2nd, Joseph Laverty, Sunnyside, Dungannon—Redgate; 3rd, R. G. Adamson, Addistown, Athboy—Red Ray.

Jumping for Horses, catch weights—1st prize, Challenge Cup, value £10, presented by Mr. Jack Stratton, with £20 added—1st prize, Joseph Laverty—Redgate; 2nd, Mrs. J. M. Magee—Nugget; 3rd, Miss D. Wilson—Pixie.

The catalogues of exhibits for this show, and the show recently held at Monaghan, were creditably printed by Mr. Doogan, Monaghan.

VITRIOL-THROWING.

THREE YEARS' PENAL SERVITUDE.

At the Old Bailey yesterday, Iris Howe, aged 21, was found guilty of throwing vitriol over her former lover, Donald Bedgood, and Kathleen Smith, who was walking out with him. She was sentenced to three years' penal servitude.

LAWN TENNIS.

FITZWILLIAM CLUB TOURNAMENT.

Favoured with fine bright weather the club tournament at Wilton place was further advanced yesterday afternoon, and as the events now stand the finals should be reached to-morrow. Details:—

Men's Championship Singles.—Second Round—D. T. McWeeney beat W. G. Marshall—6-0, 6-4. Third Round—L. A. Meldon beat M. H. Toppin—6-2, 6-3; G. Scroope beat A. H. Davidson—6-2, 6-4; H. Tyrrell Smith beat T. V. Murphy—6-4, 6-3.

Men's Handicap Singles.—Second Round—B. R. Towers (scratch) beat G. Byrne (15)—6-2, 6-2. Third Round—Captain Colthurst (4) beat W. G. Marshall (2)—4-6, 8-6, 8-6.

Ladies' Handicap Singles.—Second Round—Mrs. Rounds (minus 1) beat Mrs. Holmes Wilson (3)—6-3, 6-3; Miss E. Pringle (15.1) beat Miss McKeever (minus 3)—3-6, 6-3, 6-1. Third Round—Mrs. Bianconi (minus 2) beat Miss N. Stoker (minus 3)—8-6, 4-6, 6-1; Miss E. Pringle (15.1) beat Miss Foy (scratch)—6-2, 6-2.

Ladies' Handicap Doubles.—Second Round—Mrs. Scroope and Miss N. Daly (minus 3) w.o.; Misses McKeever and McFerran (2) scratched; Mrs. Beatty and Miss N. Stoker (scratch) beat Misses Clarke and Pigot (15)—6-2, 6-1.

Mixed Handicap Doubles.—Second Round—P. H. Stokes and Miss Pearson (3) beat A. Lane Joynt and Mrs. Beatty (15)—6-2, 6-4.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

12.0—Mrs. Bianconi and Mrs. Carroll v. Mrs. King and Miss Jackson (A.).

2.30—Mrs. Scroope and Miss Daly v. Mrs. Beatty and Miss Stoker; F. C. Pierce v. D. T. McWeeney (C.); Mrs. Mitcham v. Mrs. Manning (B.); Mrs. Bianconi v. Miss E. Pringle.

3.30—Winner of A. v. Mrs. Manning and Miss E. Cherry; Mack and Miss Walker v. Tottenham and Miss N. Daly (D.).

4.30—Winner of B. v. Miss Walker; P. H. Stokes and Miss Pearson v. B. R. Towers and Mrs. Nichols; Winner of C. v. L. A. Meldon.

5.30—G. Scroope v. H. Tyrrell Smith; McWeeney and Miss Daly v. Winner of D.

All other competitors to be on the ground at 5 o'clock.

CARRICKMINES C. and L.T.C.—An American Tournament, mixed, sweep, will be played on Saturday next, and will be followed by a club dance.

NORTHERN CABINET. IRISH ST. LEGER.

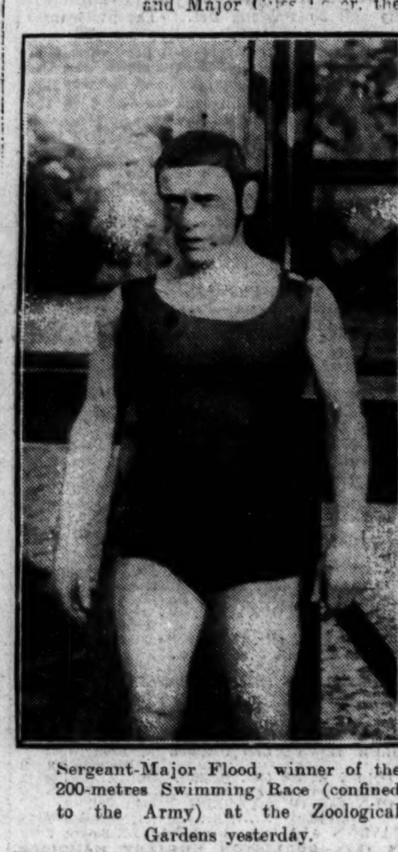
The Cabinet of Northern Ireland and their advisers photographed at Cleeve Court after Tuesday's meeting—Seated (left to right)—Mr. J. M. Andrews, the Marquis of Londonderry, Sir James Craig, Mr. H. M. Pollock, and Sir Dawson Bates. Standing—Captain Dixon, Mr. R. Best, K.C.; Sir Charles Wickham, Mr. R. D. Megaw, K.C.; Colonel Spender, Sir Arthur Quekett and Sir Ernest Clark.

Zodiac returning to the paddock after winning the Irish St. Leger yesterday at the Curragh.

Mr. J. Ratcliff, the owner of Zarope, who finished second, and Major Giles Loder, the owner of Zodiac.

... and the Earl of Kenmare.

Colonel R. Charteris, one of the Stewards of the Turf Club.



Sergeant-Major Flood, winner of the 200-metres Swimming Race (confined to the Army) at the Zoological Gardens yesterday.

Some of the competitors for the South of Ireland Golf Championship at Lahinch. Left to right—Major R. de R. Rose, Mr. E. L. Wickham, Mr. R. J. Arnott, Lieut. Hugh Whelan, Mr. R. Simcox, Mr. J. J. McGowran, Mr. Warner Barr, Mr. F. E. Dowling, Mr. V. R. Jameson, and Mr. H. C. Lyons.

ARMY ATHLETIC CHAMPIONSHIPS.

SUCCESSFUL OPENING.

In very pleasant weather yesterday the second annual Army Athletic Championships Meeting was held at Croke Park before a fairly good attendance, and an enjoyable portion of the proceedings were the selections played by the No. 2 Army Band under the baton of Sergeant-Major Flahive, and the No. 1 Pipes and Drums Band. Most of the events disposed of were the field events and the heats of the various short distances, the finals of which will take place on Saturday at the same venue. The best race of the day was the first heat of the 220 yards, which was won by Lieut. Hogan, of the Curragh Command. There were six competitors, and they were all in a bunch until the last few yards, when Lieut. Hogan shot to the front. A foot covered the first three, and the others were very close behind.

In the discus, an open event, P. J. Bermingham, D.M.P., again showed his superiority, winning from scratch with a throw of 139ft. 9ins. The three miles open cycling handicap attracted a large entry, but only thirteen faced the starter. P. Lenehan won by half a lap, and there was a rare tussle between T. Lynn and J. P. Woodcock for second place, the former just getting there on the winning line.

Among the interested spectators were:—General P. M'Mahon, Chief of Staff; Major-General F. Cronin, Major-General Daniel Hogan (President), Rev. T. J. O'Callaghan, C.F. (Vice-President); Major T. M'Grath (Treasurer), Capt. J. O'Brien (Organiser), Comdt. P. O'Colgain (Hon. Secretary); also Mr. J. J. Keane, Rev. S. Pigott, C.F.; Comdt. J. Smith, Capt. S. Neligan, Messrs. T. J. Finlay and T. J. Galavan, Dr. J. M. Ryan, Dr. O'Sullivan, Capt. Egan and Lieut. Quigley.

An excellent programme has been arranged for Saturday, when the finals and several open handicaps will take place. Details:—

100 Yards.—First Heat—Lieut. Hogan (Curragh), 1; Cpl. Fox (Western Command), 2. Four competed. Won by one yard. Second Heat—Sergt. S. Hennessy (Eastern Command), 1; Sergt. D. Delaney (Curragh), 2. Won easily by three yards. Five competed. Time—10 4-5 secs. Third Heat—Lieut. O'Flaherty (Curragh), 1; Capt. J. O'Farrell (Eastern Command), 2. Won easily by four yards. Six competed. Time—10 4-5 secs.

High Jump.—Lieut. R. Cotter (Southern Command) and Lieut. J. Griffin (Southern Command) tied at 5ft. 4ins. for first place. Four competed.

880 Yards—Lieut. G. N. Coughlan (Curragh), 1; Lieut. F. Ahearne (Eastern Command), 2; Driver Gibbons (G.H.Q.), 3. The Curragh man led all the way, and was closely followed by Ahearne, who made his effort before coming into the straight, but Coughlan resisted his challenge, and won fairly comfortably by fifteen yards; same between second and third. Nine competed. Time—2 mins. 2 secs.

220 Yards.—First Heat—Lieut. Hogan (Curragh), 1; Capt. J. O'Farrell (Eastern Command) and B.S.M. C. Kelly (G.H.Q.) dead-heated for second place. An excellent race all the way, Hogan coming up in the straight; a foot covered the first three. Six competed. Time—23 2-5 secs. Second Heat—Lieut. O'Flaherty (Curragh), 1; Sergt. Hennessy (Eastern Command), 2. Won by three yards. Four competed. Time—24 secs.

Throwing 56lb. (without follow).—Captain O'Riordan (Curragh), 23ft. 3½in., 1; Capt. Lohan (Western Command), 21ft. 2½in., 2; Captain O. Connolly (Eastern Command), 20ft. 10in., 3. Seven competed.

Five Miles Cycle.—Private W. Mullins (Eastern Command), 1; Sergeant J. Stafford (G.H.Q.), 2. Mullins led from the pistol, and Stafford kept close behind him, but was unable to keep up the pace, and finished three lengths behind the winner. Four competed.

One Mile Flat.—Lieut. G. N. Coughlan (Curragh), 1; Lieut. F. Ahearne (Eastern Command), 2; Driver Gibbons (G.H.Q.), 3. Lieut. J. Griffin (Southern Command) set the pace for the first half-mile, after which Coughlan came to the front. Early in the final lap Lieut. Ahearne made a good effort to overhaul him, but failed. Won by eight yards; a bad third. Eight competed. Time—4 min. 45 secs.

120 Yards Hurdles.—Heat winners—Sergeant Hennessy (Eastern Command), Captain Lohan (Western Command), Lieut. O'Flaherty (Curragh), and Private Mallon (Curragh).

440 Yards.—First heat—Sergeant Hennessy (Eastern Command), 1; Private J. J. Rea (Eastern Command), 2. Second heat—Captain J. O'Farrell (Eastern Command), 1; Sergeant D. Delaney (Curragh), 2.

Three Miles Cycle Handicap (Open).—P. Lenehan (Dublin) (300 yards), 1; T. Lynn (Civic Guard (50 yards), 2; J. P. Woodcock (Harp C.C.) (100 yards), 3. Lenehan won fairly comfortably by half-a-lap from Lynn, the virtual scratch man, who rode an excellent race. Lynn only got in front of the Harp man on the winning post.

Throwing the Discus (Open).—P. J. Bermingham (D.M.P.) (scr.), 139ft. 9in., 1; T. Power (D.M.P.) (24ft.), 132ft. 2in., 2; W. Gore (D.M.P.) (18ft.), 130ft. 2in., 3. Seven competed.

Long Jump.—Corporal Fox (Western Command), 20ft. 4½in., 1; Lieut. O'Flaherty (Curragh), 20ft. 3in., 2; Lieut. Hogan (Curragh), 20ft. 0½in., 3. Six competed.

Three Mile Steeplechase.—Private P. J. Whelan (Southern Command), 1; Lieut. J. Griffin (Southern Command), 2; Private James (Western Command), 3. Whelan took the lead from the start, and increased it each mile, and won by 150 yards; twenty between second and third. Eleven competed.

Throwing 56lb. (for height).—Captain Lohan (Western Command), 11ft. 2ins., 1; Captain O'Riordan (Curragh), 10ft. 3in., 2. Seven competed.

Hop, Step, and Jump.—Private Manning (Curragh), 40ft. 4in., 1; Corporal Fox (Western Command), 40ft. 3¼in., 2; Private Horgan (Southern Command), 38ft. 11½in., 3. Nine competed.

100 Yards Boys Handicap (Open).—First Heat—E. V. Leamy, 1; L. McNamee, 2. Second heat—E. Kavanagh, 1; S. O'Donoghue, 2. Final—Kavanagh, 1; O'Donoghue, 2.

CRICKET.

"IRISH TIMES" v. DUNSANY.

Played at Dunsany. Score:—

"IRISH TIMES"—First Innings.

A. Fitzgerald b M. Flynn	0
J. Moore b J. Smyth	0
J. Whelan c Wilkinson b M. Flynn	10
R. P. Trench b J. Smyth	6
H. McAllister c Geraghty b M. Flynn	3
J. Broughal b M. Flynn	0
J. Kearns b M. Flynn	7
G. Leech b Lord Dunsany	7
T. Redmond not out	0
J. Grendon c and b Lord Dunsany	1
J. Brennan c P. Kelly b Lord Dunsany	2
Extras	2
Total	38

Second Innings.

R. P. Trench b J. Smyth	2
A. Fitzgerald not out	33
T. Redmond run out	0
J. Whelan b J. Flynn	16
Extras	2
Total (3 wkts.)*	53

*Innings declared.

DUNSANY—First Innings.

A. B. Winkinson b Fitzgerald	3
J. D. G. Chaytor c Moore b Trench	8
M. Walls c Broughal b Whelan	25
M. Flynn b Trench	5
M. Kelly c McAllister b Fitzgerald	5
J. Smyth run out	12
Lord Dunsany b Trench	3
Hon. R. Plunkett c and b Whelan	3
J. Flynn c and b Whelan	0
P. Kelly c and b Whelan	4
T. Geraghty not out	0
Total	66

Second Innings.

J. D. G. Chaytor not out	28
Hon. R. Plunkett not out	6
Extras	2
Total	36

HOCKEY.

TRIGINTA.—The annual general meeting will be held at 75 Moyne road, Rathmines, this evening, at 7.30 o'clock. All members are requested to attend.

PEMBROKE WANDERERS LADIES' BRANCH).—General meeting in Pavilion this evening at 7 o'clock. Practice Saturday, 3.30 p.m. All members and intending members are requested to attend.

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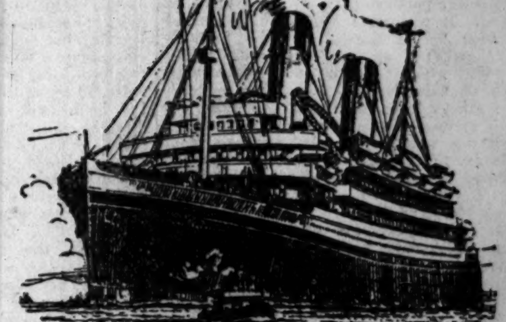

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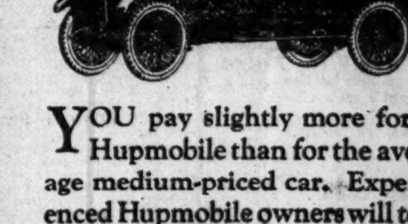

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BILLIARDS.

INMAN v. DUNCAN.

Some very interesting billiards was witnessed yesterday in the Catholic Club, where the match of 18,000 up between Duncan, who is in receipt of 6,000, and Inman was continued before a large attendance. In the afternoon Duncan was in fine form, and made breaks of 74, 41, 46, 60, 49 and 100. In the Century break there were many pretty shots, and it was only at a difficult cushion cannon that the Irish professional champion broke down. Inman took a long time to find his game, but eventually after a run of 89 he reached his points with a splendid break of 185 unfinished. Interval scores:—

Duncan (receives 6,000) ... 8,216
Inman (in play) 3,988

Resuming at night Inman carried his unfinished break to 279. It was a splendid run of delightful all round table play. The former English champion then had a quiet spell, but Duncan, playing in consistent form, had a run of 28, 49, 53, 65, 50, and 123. The last break was chiefly composed of nursery cannons, but Inman finished up with a grand run of 249 unfinished. In this run Inman displayed perfect control. Closing scores:—

Duncan (receives 6,000) ... 8,717
Inman (in play) 5,604

NEWMAN v. SMITH.

The champion made up some of his arrears at yesterday's first session. Beginning with a break of 109, which included thirty-three close cannons, he afterwards subscribed 99, 111, 83 and 259. Smith ran his unfinished 139 to 171, and his only other notable contributions were 102 and 105. Interval scores:—Smith, 3,235; Newman, 2,055.

At night Smith overshadowed his opponent, his chief breaks being 277, 227 and 127. Newman was completely out of touch, his only run of note being 182. Closing scores:—Smith (in play), 4,000; Newman, 2,459.

SWIMMING.

A fair sized crowd patronised the Swimming Championship of the Army last evening in pleasant, if somewhat blustery, weather. The lateness of the season, as was evidenced at the Leinster Branch Gala at the same venue a week ago, had its effect not only on the attendance, but also on the entries in most of the events.

The programme represented a considerable advance on last year, and the number of open events added materially to the enjoyment of the spectators. Commandant M. A. O'Connor, Eastern Command, the noted swimmer and international water poloist, was, unfortunately, prevented from competing through illness, and the confined events suffered in consequence. C.S.M. Flood, of the Curragh Command, put up a fine performance in winning the 100 metres, 200 metres, and 400 metres Army championships, which were won by Commandant O'Connor last year.

The Army No. 1 Band, under the baton of Lieutenant Duff, discoursed a charming selection of music, which was greatly enjoyed.

The prizes were presented by Mrs. H. Hanna. Details:—

100 Metres Championship—C.S.M. Flood (Curragh Command), 1; Commandant S. O'Neill (Curragh Command), 2; Sergeant Lewis (Curragh Command), 3. Five competed. Time—86 secs.

100 Metres (Ladies) Handicap—Miss E. O'Connell (23 secs.), 1; Miss Clinch (18 secs.), 2; Miss Hennessy (19 secs.), 3. Time—1 min. 55 secs.

200 Metres Championship—C.S.M. Flood (Curragh Command), 1; Sergeant Lewis (Curragh Command), 2. Time—3 mins. 50 2-5 secs.

Diving Championship—Lieutenant D. J. O'Neill (Artillery), w.o.

200 Metres (Open) Handicap—C. Carroll (23 secs.), 1; T. H. Dockrell (13 secs.), 2; W. Harford (19 secs.), 3. Twelve competed. Won by 2 yards; half a yard between second and third. Time—3 mins. 18 secs.

400 Metres Championship — C.S.M. Flood (Curragh Command), w.o.

Diving Handicap (Open)—C. R. Batt (scr.), 1; E. Heron (1), 2; W. Carroll (sen.) (5), 3. Also competed—D. Walsh (6) and P. J. McAllister (scr.).

Squadron Race (Open)—Dublin S.C. (N. M. Purcell, Dr. W. H. Sexton, H. M. Dockrell, and N. Judd), 1; Clontarf S.C. (S. Barrett, J. S. Brady, P. J. Lavery, and M. Roche), 2. Won by 30 yards.

ULSTER v. LEINSTER.

The following have been selected to represent Ulster against Leinster in the Inter-Provincial Water-Polo Match at Templemore Baths, Belfast, to-morrow:—J. P. Convery (Clonard); T. McCormick (Clonard), G. H. Leitch (Victoria) (captain); E. Whitters (Victoria); H. Cowan (East End), P. McClure (Clonard), J. McManus (Clonard).

Reserves—B. Gregory (Wellington) and T. Hamilton (Queen's Island).

Ulster squadron team—H. Devlin (Wellington), T. H. Davey (Wellington), P. McClure (Clonard), and J. Porter (Victoria).

Reserves—J. Jenkins (Clonard) and H. Mitchell (South End).

CLONTARF.—The 100 yards Championship of the Club (for the Adams Cup). Result:—H. F. Case (Jun.), 1; J. S. Brady, 2; S. Barrett (holder), 3. Time—68 2-5 secs. Won a splendid race, in which Barrett led for 66 yards, when Case came out to win from Brady by half a yard, the latter only beating Barrett by a touch. H. F. Case, who is a schoolboy member of the club, now holds both senior and junior championships.

Sandycove held their last race of the season on Tuesday evening, a 50 yards handicap, which resulted in a win for G. Higgenbotham, with W. Davenport second and A. Cullen third. Won by a touch. Twelve competed. Time—35 secs.

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FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

AYR, Wednesday.

Apart from the fact that there was a good field for the Doon Selling Handicap, the opening of the Western Meeting at Ayr was disappointing in so far as the number of runners was concerned. The outlook overnight had been distinctly promising, but the coughing epidemic continues to affect many of the stables, particularly in the North of England. It was most disappointing to find only four horses saddled for the Scottish Derby, and the standard fell considerably below that which one usually associates with a race of this description. This Scottish classic differs from its Epsom namesake, inasmuch as there are various allowances, which caused the weights to take a range from 9st. 12lb. to 7st. 11lb., consequently the event had the appearance of a handicap.

Mr. W. Raphael's Henri, a nicely moulded colt, by Harry of Hereford, had a substantial pull in the weights, and won the race with an ease which made his three opponents look the merest commoners. It was generally and, for once reliably, reported that he had made considerable improvement as the result of the work recently done by him at Newmarket. He had disappointed in two efforts at the Ascot Meeting, and G. Sadler had obviously adopted the right tactics in giving the colt plenty of time in which to come to hand. Donoghue made no attempt to win cleverly, but realising that his mount was full of running he sent him to the head of the field some distance from the finish. Neither Crewe nor Roysterer could make the slightest impression.

Henri should certainly develop into quite a useful horse, and it would not be surprising if even a longer distance than a mile and three furlongs, over which to-day's race was run, was well within his compass. Roysterer pulled up showing signs of leg weariness.

ELLIOTT'S DOUBLE

Although Lord Rosebery's candidate, Crewe, failed in the big race of the afternoon his colours were successfully carried in two other events. Elliott was associated with each of these victories, and thus strengthened his position at the head of the winning jockeys. As I indicated in my notes from Warwick, J. Jarvis had galloped Nigel sufficiently to indicate his capabilities of winning a race in the near future. Lord Rosebery's trainer decided to run him to-day instead of keeping him for another engagement on the second day. He won the Craigengillan Plate with such comparative ease that there are more unlikely things than that he may be asked to shoulder his penalty in the Arran Nursery. Furthermore, there may be some confidence in his ability to accomplish the task.

In the absence of Dalmagarry for the Scotland Foal Plate the race was deprived of considerable interest. As a matter of fact only three went to the post, and Lord Rosebery's Swastika easily accounted for the other two. The success of Light Cavalry in the Auchincruive Three Years Old Stakes was fully expected, although there were two others preferred to him in the market. This is one of Hogg's team which has not been seriously affected by the coughing outbreak of late.

Those who considered Too Bad a reasonably good thing for the Stewards' Plate, and betted accordingly received a rude awakening. Aerostar had to put in all he knew to gain a short-head victory from Corcyrian, who for once in a way consented to run in accordance with the form which he was known to possess.

TO-MORROW'S SELECTIONS.

Chief interest will centre to-morrow in the race for the Ayrshire Handicap. Obliterate, who will be ridden by Lister, is regarded by many folk as having a fairly easy task. Forerunner is also considerably fancied, but I shall be surprised if an each way bet on MELIBEUS does not show a reasonable profit. NIGEL may win the Arran Nursery, but in his absence I should rely upon SATAN BEY. INKERMAN looks good for the County Cup; STERNMARCH is my choice for the Kyle Stakes.

If MIDNIGHT FOLLY is sent for the Durham Handicap at Yarmouth I shall expect her to win.

GALTEE MORE.

BETTING FORECAST.

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2.0 Race—7 to 2 agst. Sale Ticket, 9 to 2 Barrie Boy, 5 to 1 Somerford, 6 to 1 Winterton, 7 to 1 Maidwell, 8 to 1 each Doon Star and Indian Gauze, 10 to 1 Marten Wing, 100 to 8 any other.

2.30 Race—5 to 2 agst. Horace Groom, 7 to 2 Mr. Tinkle, 9 to 2 Mystic Night, 5 to 1 Hiram, 7 to 1 Glamis Maid, 8 to 1 each Margarine and Angel's Hope, 10 to 1 any other.

3.10 Race—11 to 4 agst. Obliterate, 4 to 1 Melibeus, 5 to 1 Forerunner, 6 to 1 Shippon, 7 to 1 St. Cormac, 8 to 1 each Voltoi and Resinato, 10 to 1 each Hope Deferred and Pillory, 100 to 8 any other.

3.40 Race—9 to 4 agst. Nigel, 7 to 2 Satan Bey, 9 to 2 Kisser, 7 to 1 Saturnalia, 8 to 1 Price List, 10 to 1 any other.

4.10 Race—6 to 4 on Parmenio, 2 to 1 agst. Inkerman, 10 to 1 any other.

4.45 Race—9 to 4 agst. Lady Clara, 9 to 2 Red Cyder, 5 to 1 The Prude's Fall, 6 to 1 Thistle Glass, 7 to 1 Charity Land, 8 to 1 Dunin, 10 to 1 Battles, 100 to 8 any other.

5.15 Race—7 to 4 agst. Blue Sol, 11 to 4 West Countryman, 7 to 2 Jacquot, 5 to 1 Rivolta, 7 to 1 Marcia.

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2.0—Winterton.
2.30—Horace Groom.
3.10—Obliterate.
3.40—Satan Bey.
4.10—Parmenio.
4.45—Red Cyder.
5.15—Jacquot.
DOUBLE:—Winterton (nap) and Jacquot.

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SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Daily Graphic:—Double — Parmenio and Battles.
Westminster Gazette:—To-day's best — Obliterate. Double—Obliterate and Midnight Folly.
Daily News:—Double—Golden Way and Winsome Witch.
Daily Express:—Double — Obliterate and Winsome Witch. Safety bet—Obliterate.
Daily Mirror:—Double — Satan Bey and Alarmed filly.

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IRISH ST. LEGER.

A THRILLING FINISH.

ZODIAC WINS BY A HEAD FROM ZAROPE.

The last of the Irish classic races, like all the others this year, except the One Thousand Guineas, won by Voltoi, has fallen to a competitor from across the Channel, and, as in the case of its predecessors, it provided a very fine finish. In emerging successfully from the ordeal Zodiac showed himself up in the light of a genuine stayer and a good battler, and Archibald rode a brilliant race on him. Cape Horn, who had beaten him in their placings in the Doncaster St. Leger, was installed a slightly better favourite than Major Loder's colt, although the latter made a much better impression on the paddock critics by reason of his fitness and workmanlike qualities.

The early running was made by Duke of Judea, who went away at top speed, and quickly established a lead of nearly fifty lengths, but his bolt was shot when a little more than a mile had been got over, and he dropped back from first to last, in company with Bridge of Cahir. Then Zarope drew into the lead, and, rounding the turn into the straight, he had for immediate attendants Cape Horn, Zodiac, Vesington King, and Lough Ennel, these in a cluster. The favourite was in trouble a couple of furlongs out, and gave way to Zodiac, who gradually lessened the gap that separated him from Zarope, who, however, was travelling the easier of the two,, and he was loudly acclaimed the winner, but Archibald never ceased to persevere on Major Loder's colt, who responded very gamely, and, getting up in the last few strides, snatched a head verdict. Cape Horn could do no better than finish third, four lengths away in front of Vesington King and Lough Ennel. It is no disparagement of Zodiac's performance—he was conceding the second 10lb.—to say that he may have been a trifle lucky to win, for it appeared to many on the stands that Zarope's rider, good jockey though he undoubtedly is, erred on the side of over-confidence. Zarope leaves for Newmarket to-day to finish his preparation for the Cesarewitch, in which he can meet Zodiac on 6lb better terms than in yesterday's race.

In a field of sixteen for the Harehill Plate, Beddgelert commanded most support, but, after showing prominently for five furlongs, he faded out of the picture, and had nothing to say to the finish, which was a very exciting affair, Monaco only catching the outsider, Maqueda, in the last stride, to win by a narrow margin; and right on top of the pair was Scarlet Stripes. Speedy Prince, to ride whom Archibald had to put up 3lb. extra, always dominated the position in the Experts' Stake, for though Longquill stuck to him gamely for a long way, he shook him off without much trouble in the closing stages of the race.

The odds laid on Soldennis for the Turf Club Cup were landed with consummate ease, the son of Tredennis, who boasts such a wonderful record at the Curragh, simply toying with the opposition, and winning with "his head on his chest." The Phœnix Park winner, Louvix, supplemented his laurels in the Autumn Plate, for which both First Fruit and Sunnee were preferred to him in the wagering, but he readily disposed of both; and, in the Osborne Plate, Ezra only failed by a length to concede 3st. 3lb. to May Come, who now made amends for an unlucky defeat the previous day. Details:—

1.30—THE HAREHILL PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. For two years old. 7 f.
Mr. H. McAlinden's ch. g. MONACO, by My Prince—Quadruple, 8-12 ....A. Barrett 1
Mr. F. Clarke's MAQUEDA, 8-9 ....J. Hines 2
Mr. R. Power's SCARLET STRIPES, 8-12 ....Jos. Doyle 3
Mr. C. Fagan's Lord Burdon, 8-12 ....J. Dines 0
Mr. A. H. Macaulay's Fido, 8-12 ....T. Burns 0
Mr. J. Musker's Land Creek, 8-12 ....P. Beasley 0
Mr. Peter FitzGerald's Mallow Bridge, 8-12 ....Sowerby 0
Mr. T. G. O'Brien's Corgrigg, 8-12 P. Fitzgerald 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Father Tom, 8-12, W. Redmond 0
Mrs. E. W. Hope Johnstone's Beddgelert, 8-12 G. Archibald 0
Capt. J. J. Clune's Golden Reef, 8-9 J. Moylan 0
Mr. B. Kirby's Sweet Afton, 8-9 ....Jos. Harty 0
Mr. J. Musker's Bonny Maiden, 8-9 J. Parkinson 0
Mr. Scott's Maureen M., 8-9 ....M. Wing 0
Mr. B. M. Slocock's Carlovia, 8-9 ....J. Patman 0
Mr. T. O'K. White's Mount Prospect's Maid, 8-9 E. Quirke 0
(Winner trained by J. Hunter.)
Betting—3 to 1 agst. Beddgelert, 4 to 1 Scarlet Stripes, 5 to 1 each MONACO and Mount Prospect's Maid, 8 to 1 each Maureen M. and Lord Burdon, 10 to 1 Golden Reef, 20 to 1 Maqueda and others.
Beddgelert made the running from Mount Prospect's Maid, Maqueda, Lord Burdon, Carlovia, Monaco, and Scarlet Stripes for half the journey, when Maqueda went on in front of Monaco, Mount Prospect's Maid, and Scarlet Stripes. Inside the distance Monaco challenged, and in a good finish won by a neck; three-parts of a length divided second and third. Mount Prospect's Maid was fourth, Golden Reef fifth, Land Creek sixth, Lord Burdon seventh, Corgrigg eighth, and Bonny Maiden next.

2.0—EXPERTS' STAKES of 200 sovs., of which the second receives 20 sovs. and the third 10 sovs. For two years old. 1 m. (New Mile Course.)
Mr. S. Jeffery's b. c. SPEEDY PRINCE, by My Prince—Limberness, 8-1 (car. 8-4) G. Archibald 1
Mr. P. P. O'Reilly's LONGQUILL, 8-1 R. Collen 2
Mr. F. Rogers' LADY NIGHTINGALE, 9-0 M. Wing 3
Mr. D. J. Joyce's Eagle Royal, 9-0 ...M. Barrett 0
Mr. F. S. Myerscough's Lochshee, 8-6 T. Browne 0
Mr. P. Clarke's Sed, 8-6 ....Jas. Doyle 0
Col. A. J. Blake's Nimue, 8-2 ....J. Dines 0
Mr. E. Flynn's Town Topics, 8-1 ....A. Barrett 0
Mr. O. T. V. Slocock's Nightjar, 8-1 ...D. Gordon 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. SPEEDY PRINCE, 7 to 2 Lady Nightingale, 4 to 1 Sed, 5 to 1 Nimue, 7 to 1 Longquill, 20 to 1 others.
Speedy Prince showed the way to Sed, Eagle Royal, Lady Nightingale, Lochshee, Nightjar, and Nimue for half a mile, when Sed went on in front, followed by Speedy Prince, Lochshee, Lady Nightingale, Nimue, and Longquill. When fairly in the line for home Speedy Prince challenged again, and, resuming command inside the distance, won by a length and a half; six lengths divided second and third. Nimue was fourth, Longquill fifth, Sed sixth, and Nightjar next. Time—1 min. 55 2-5 secs.

2.40—THE IRISH ST. LEGER of 2,500 sovs., of which the breeder of the winner and owner of the second will receive 150 sovs. each, and the breeder of the second and owner of the third 75 sovs. each. For three years old. Colts and geldings, 9st.; fillies, 8st. 12lb. Winners extra. 1 m. 6 f.
Major Giles Loder's b. c. ZODIAC, by Sunstar—Molly Desmond, 9-10 ....G. Archibald 1
Mr. J. Radcliff's b. c. ZAROPE, by Zria—Malope 9-0 ....M. Wing 2
Lord Glanely's b. c. CAPE HORN, by He—White Squall, 9-7 ....B. Carslake 3
Col. Charteris' Bridge of Cahir, 9-0 ....T. Burns 0
Mr. F. Clarke's Jehangir, 9-0 ....J. Moylan 0
Mr. M. J. Cleary's Lough Ennel, 9-0 ...E. Quirke 0
Mr. J. Nugent's Duke of Judea, 9-0 ...W. Treacy 0
Mr. H. M. Hartigan's Vesington King, 9-0 Jos. Canty 0
(Winner trained by Gilpin.)
Betting—6 to 4 agst. Cape Horn, 2 to 1 ZODIAC, 5 to 1 Lough Ennel, 8 to 1 Zarope, 10 to 1 Vesington King, 20 to 1 others.
Duke of Judea drew out with a long lead of Lough Ennel, Jehangir, and Bridge of Cahir, with Zodiac, Zarope, and Cape Horn next, and Vesington King last. So they ran for a mile, when Duke of Judea was beaten and Zarope went on in front, attended by Cape Horn, Zodiac, Lough Ennel, and Vesington King. In the straight Zodiac took second place, and, heading Zarope inside the distance, won by a head; four lengths divided second and third. Vesington King was fourth, Lough Ennel fifth, Jehangir sixth, Duke of Judea seventh, and Bridge of Cahir last. Time—3 mins. 33 secs.

3.10—THE TURF CLUB CUP, value 100 sovs (a piece of plate of this value), with 300 sovs. (in specie) added by the Turf Club, of which the second receives 30 sovs. and the third 20 sovs. Weight for age, etc. 7 f.
Mr. C. L. Mackean's ch. h. SOLDENNIS, by Tredennis—Soligena, 6, 10-5 ....T. Burns 1
Major Dixon's PROSPICE, 3, 9-12 ...E. Quirke 2
Major Dixon's SALVE, 2, 7-0 ....W. Treacy 3
Sir T. Dixon's Musme, 2, 7-0 (car. 7-2) J. Patman 0
(Winner trained by S. C. Jeffery.)
Betting—3 to 1 on SOLDENNIS, 4 to 1 agst. Salve, 20 to 1 any other.
Prospice made the running from Soldennis, Salve, and Musme for five furlongs, when Soldennis drew to the front, and, making the remainder of the running, won in a canter by four lengths; six lengths divided second and third. Major Dixon declared to win with Salve.

PREVIOUS WINNERS.

Year. Winner.	Sire.	st.	lb.	sovs.
1915—La Paloma	Prospector	8	11	461
1916—Captive Princess	Captivation	8	11	1370
1917—Double Scotch	Seaforth	8	11	1370
1918—Dionysos	Llangibby	9	0	1370
1919—Cheap Popularity	Tredennis	8	11	1790
1920—Kirk-Alloway	Tracery	9	0	2270
1921—Kircubbin	Captivation	9	0	2377
1922—Royal Lancer	Spearmint	9	10	2310
1923—O'Dempsey	Flying Orb	9	0	2310

3.40—THE AUTUMN PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A handicap. 5 f.
Mr. D. J. Cogan's b. g. LOUVIX, by Louvois—Vixen's Pet, 3, 7-10 ....W. Redmond 1
Mr. T. W. Price's FIRST FRUIT, 4, 7-4 P. Fitzgerald 2
Mr. A. M'Cann's SUNNEE, 3, 7-9 ..W. Treacy 3
Mr. J. H. C. Bartholomew's Doiran, 3, 9-4 P. Beasley 0
Captain Dixon's Grey Point, 3, 8-12..J. Patman 0
Mr. A. H. Ledlie's Swift Bird, 3, 7-8 ..R. Cullen 0
Mr. P. Thorpe's Lislea, 3, 7-8 ....Jas. Doyle 0
(Winner trained by J. Staunton.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. First Fruit, 5 to 2 Sunnee, 5 to 1 each LOUVIX and Doiran, 8 to 1 each Lislea and Swift Bird, 10 to 1 Grey Point.
Louvix made the running from First Fruit, Sunnee, Swift Bird, and Lislea for half the journey, when First Fruit went on, attended by Louvix, Sunnee, and Swift Bird. Inside the distance Louvix challenged again and won by a length; three lengths divided second and third. Lislea was fourth, Grey Point fifth and Swift Bird next.

4.10—OSBORNE PLATE of 150 sovs., of which the second receives 15 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A handicap. 6 f.
Mr. J. J. M'Auley's b. c. MAY COME, by Tredennis—Avalanche, 3, 5-9 (car. 5-11) J. Lenihan 1
Mr. D. J. Power's EZRA, 5, 9-0 ....Jas. Doyle 2
Mr. C. Swords's DIN O' WAR, 4, 6-13 (car. 7-1) J. Dines 3
Mr. J. Musker's Speedy Marquis, 3, 7-9 P. Fitzgerald 0
Mr. H. Loughran's Goldsun, 3, 7-1....W. Treacy 0
Mr. W. T. de Pledge's Najmi, 3, 6-13 (car. 7-0) P. Beasley 0
Mr. A. Lowry's Jurat, 3, 6-1 ....W. Rea 0
Major Cape's Orena, 4, 6-0 (car. 6-4) L. Holohan 0
(Winner trained by T. Coombs.)
Betting—3 to 1 agst. Najmi, 100 to 30 Speedy Marquis, 4 to 1 MAY COME, 9 to 2 Din o' War, 5 to 1 Goldsun, 7 to 1 Ezra, 20 to 1 Orena, 50 to 1 Jurat.
Jurat began slowly, and Goldsun made the running from Speedy Marquis, Ezra, May Come, and Din o' War for three furlongs, when May Come took command, and, shaking off the challenge of Ezra, won by a length; three lengths divided second and third. Speedy Marquis was fourth, Orena fifth, Goldsun sixth, and Najmi next. Time—1 min. 20 secs.

SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Another attractive card will be submitted to-day, and the concluding stage should be associated with some very interesting sport. Chief interest will centre in the Railway Stakes and the King's Plate, both of which look like furnishing excellent contests. The "Railways" will bring into opposition several two-year-olds that have shown smart form, and it may be won by

CAPTURE HIM,

to whom **Captivating Hack** reads the danger. Other selections are as follow:—
Conyngham Plate—**Glimpse** or **Ambrose.**
His Majesty's Plate—**Blue Fish.**
Flying Plate—**Bachelor's Ward.**
Sprint Plate—**Maqueda** or **Wilublong.**
Welter Plate—**Louvois Prize.**

1.30—THE CONYNGHAM PLATE of 200 sovs., of which the second receives 20 sovs. and the third 10 sovs. A nursery handicap. 5 f. (st. lb.)
BRIGHT MAID (in. 7lb. ex.) (Mr. H. S. Persse) ....Ussher 9 7
LUGDUFF (Mr. J. Mallick) ....Hunter 8 7
BUNTZ (in. 7lb. ex.) (Mr. R. Nicholl Caddell) Fordred 8 5
MAY BUSH (Mrs. Croft) ....Ussher 8 0
LADY NIGHTINGALE (Mr. F. Rogers) Owner 8 0
ROYAL PLUSH (Capt. H. A. Gairdener) Rogers 8 0
MAID OF THE HEATH (7lb. ex.) (Mrs. V. Morton Jackson) ....Behan 8 0
GOOSE GREEN (Mr. R. C. Ross) ....Moss 7 12
BALLYFARE (Major A. W. Molony) Rogers 7 12
CITRINE (Mr. R. Gorey) ....Hunter 7 10
GO BETWEEN (Mr. J. Leech) ....Bell 7 9
GLIMPSE (Mr. M. Arnott) ....Owner 7 8
THORN TREE (Major John Murray) Dawson 7 7
WILUBLONG (Mr. R. J. Duggan) ....J. Rogers 7 7
AMBROSE (Mr. E. Bellaney) ....Parkinson 7 7
LALLOU (Mr. D. J. Cogan) ....Staunton 7 4
CLONTY (Mr. H. Hone) ....Sikes 7 4
GROSVENOR'S REWARD (Mr. J. Musker) Parkinson 7 4
MAYTOI (Mrs. T. Coombs) ....Coombs 7 3
GRISETTE (Mr. J. L. Molloy) ....Reidy 7 3
LORD BURDON (Mr. C. Fagan) ....Grundy 7 1
PROSPEROUS (Mr. D. R. Browning) Rogers 7 1
TANGLE TOES (Mr. C. T. Vandeleur) Brabazon 7 1
BEDDGELERT (Mrs. E. W. Hope Johnstone) Arnott 7 0
ONE STEP (7lb. ex.) (Mr. A. M'Cann) ..Dawson 7 0
GOLDEN SHADOW (Mr. N. J. Grene) Moss 6 13
HEARTBURN (Mr. A. Lowry) ....Dawson 6 13
MARLHILL'S FIRST (Mr. W. P. Ryan) Bell 6 12
HELEN ADAIR (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 6 7

2.0—HIS MAJESTY'S PLATE of 200 guineas. For Irish bred horses only. 2¼ m. (Age st. lb.)
BLUE FISH (Mr. P. Rogers) ....Arnott 6 10 1
BEPPIN (Mr. H. J. Kirwan) ....Moss 4 9 9
FALLOCHY (Col. Honner) ....Honner a 9 5
HIGHLANDMORE (Mr. J. W. Widger) Dawson 5 9 5
NAVAN LASS (Mr. John O'Neill) ..Dawson a 9 5
ERIN'S FALLOCH (Col. Honner) ..Honner 6 8 12
MAUREEN BAWN (Mr. E. L. Lloyd) ..Sikes a 8 12
DINIA (Mr. G. Revelle) ....Brooks 6 8 12

2.40—FLYING PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs., and the third 5 sovs. A selling handicap. 5 f. (Age st. lb.)
LILIAN'S PET (Mr. G. Personne) ...Doyle 5 9 0
IRISH IRE (Mr. R. C. Ross) ....Moss 6 9 0
CLOVER CLUB (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 3 8 9
CANZONET (Mr. J. Lawton) ....Reidy 3 8 9
ZULU QUEEN (Mr. H. Stockman) Parkinson 3 8 5
SIMON OGE (Mr. L. Goodman) Parkinson 3 8 5
NOBLE PRINCE (Mr. F. Burke) ....Behan 3 8 5
BACHELOR'S WARD (Mr. A. Lowry) Dawson 4 8 3
TOXAWAY (Mr. J. Lawton) ....Reidy 4 7 13
SLIEVROE (Mr. J. A. Coen) ....Behan 3 7 12
JOHN JOE (Mr. A. Lowry) ....Dawson 3 7 10
COYPOU (Mr. A. M'Cann) ....Dawson 3 7 10
PASOL (10lb. ex.) (Mr. J. F. Downey) Kirwan 3 7 10
LITTLE SPITFIRE (Mr. J. T. O'Ryan) Parkinson 3 7 9
LISMULLEN (Mr. Jos. Read) ....Coombs 3 7 7
MARGY (Mr. J. A. Coen) ....Coen 4 7 4
PROVINCIAL BOY (Mr. J. M. Prior Kennedy) ....Fetherston 4 6 12
JABBSTRAW (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 5 6 12
BACHELOR'S DOLL (Mr. A. Lowry) Fetherston 3 6 12
SHINING SUN (Mr. L. Goodman) Parkinson 3 6 10
SANS SOUCI (Mr. O. M'Mullan) ....Coombs 3 6 9
NATIONAL SPORT (Mr. T. Dickson) Magee 4 6 9
MISS PHYLLIS (Mr. T. W. Price) ...Owner 4 6 9
MISS ROSS (Mr. W. A. Wallis) ...Morgan 5 6 9

3.10—RAILWAY STAKES—A sweepstakes of 10 sovs. each for acceptors, with 400 sovs. added, of which the second receives 40 sovs. and the third 20 sovs. For two years old. Anglesey Post—6 f. 63 yds. (st. lb.)
LISWORNEY (Lord Kenmare) ....Dawson 9 5
SCOT (Mr. O. N. Donelli) ....Fordred 9 5
DUNOAIRN (Sir T. Dixon) ....Behan 9 3
BRIGHTER LONDON (Mr. B. M. Slocock) Coombs 9 3
GLENVALE (Mr. E. Curran) ....Jeffery 8 7
AIRLIE (Mr. E. Curran) ....Jeffery 8 7
SALVE (Major Dixon) ....Behan 8 7
ROI DU MONDE (Mr. Jas. Daly) ....Owner 8 7
DENCOMBE (Major Giles Loder) ....Rogers 8 7
SNOW BOY (Mr. A. Lowry) ....Dawson 8 7
CAPTURE HIM (Mr. J. J. M'Auley) ..Coombs 8 7
ROSMEEN (Mr. A. M'Cann) ....Dawson 8 7
ST. DONAGH (Mr. A. B. Cope) ....Fordred 8 7
TALAGWA (Mr. G. Delatree) ....Jeffery 8 7
LARKSPUR (Mr. W. P. Gill) ....Rogers 8 7
SED (Mr. P. Clarke) ....Fordred 8 7
GROSVENOR'S REWARD (Mr. J. Musker) Parkinson 8 7
LOUVIXEN (Mr. T. P. O'Neill) ....Parkinson 8 7
AMBROSE (Mr. E. Bellaney) ....Parkinson 8 7
VESINGTON ORB (Mr. C. T. Wallis) ..Behan 8 7
SCARLET STRIPES (Mr. R. Power) ..Doyle 8 7
PROSE AND VERSE (Major Shirley) ..Rogers 8 7
OADWAL (Mr. I. J. Blake) ....Jeffery 8 7
MAYNOOTH (Mrs. R. M. Crofts) ....Dawson 8 3
MAID OF THE HEATH (Mrs. V. Morton Jackson) ....Behan 8 3
LADY OF THE LAKE (Mrs. E. M. Crofts) Dawson 8 3
GLENMAKERIN (Capt. Dixon) ....Behan 8 3
CAPTIVATING HACK (Major Dixon) ..Behan 8 3
LUVINT (Mr. A. Lowry) ....Hunter 8 3
BLUE MINT (Mr. J. H. Locke) ..Fetherston 8 3
CALLISTA (Mr. J. J. Maher) ....Behan 8 3
MISS PACIENCIA (Mr. J. Musker) Parkinson 8 3
RHEA (Mr. T. Singleton) ....Brooks 8 3

3.40—SPRINT PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A handicap. 6 f. (Age st. lb.)
KILMEENA (10lb. ex.) (Lt.-Col. O'Malley-Keyes) ....Parkinson 4 9 8
FLYING PRINCE (Mr. T. P. O'Neill) Parkinson 4 9 0
SPEEDY MARQUIS (Mr. J. Musker) Parkinson 3 8 11
MOST NOBLE (Col. MacCabe) ....Staunton 5 8 4
GEORGINA (Mr. J. T. Rogers) ....Owner 3 8 2
COOL WARRIOR (Mr. T. O'Keeffe) ..Collins 4 8 0
CAPTURE HIM (Mr. J. J. M'Auley) Coombs 2 8 0
CARRIF (Mr. R. C. Ross) ....Moss 3 7 10
KILDARRA BOY (Mr. W. O'Driscoll) Dawson 3 7 4
SHINING JUG (Mr. A. Morrow) ....Magee 5 7 4
THISTLE BUD (Mr. W. O'Driscoll) Dawson 3 7 0
BALLYFARE (Major A. W. Molony) Rogers 3 6 9
TIPPERARY LASS (Mr. R. Gorey) ..Hunter 3 6 6
BERKIE (Mr. A. M'Cann) ....Dawson 2 6 6
WILUBLONG (Mr. R. J. Duggan) ..J. Rogers 2 6 5
GRISETTE (Mr. J. L. Molloy) ....Reidy 2 6 4
MAQUEDA (Mr. F. Clarke) ....Owner 2 6 0

4.10—WELTER PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A handicap for three years old and upwards which have never won a race value 100 sovs. 1 m. (New Mile Course.) (Age st. lb.)
FLYING PRINCE (Mr. T. P. O'Neill) Parkinson 4 10 10
MIRATHORN (Mrs. A. E. O'Reilly) Fetherston a 10 10
ST. EMINENCE (Mr. T. O'Keeffe) ..Collins 5 10 3
SEIZE (Mr. E. Kennedy) ....Devor 5 10 0
COTULA (Mr. A. Lowry) ....Dawson 6 10 0
BRILLIANT LADY (Mr. J. Musker) Parkinson 3 9 12
IRISH DELIGHT (Mr. J. Musker) Parkinson 4 9 10
CARRIF (Mr. R. C. Ross) ....Moss 3 9 4
LOUVOIS PRIZE (Mrs. T. O'K. White) Dawson 3 9 4
FIRST FRUIT (Mr. T. W. Price) ..Owner 4 9 3
MAY COME (10lb. ex.) (Mr. J. J. M'Auley) Coombs 3 9 3
GEORGE FRENCH (Mr. J. A. Coen) Behan 3 9 0
MARGY (Mr. J. A. Coen) ....Coen 4 9 0
FAITHFUL LAD (Mr. J. Musker) Parkinson 3 9 0
CREMONA (Mr. A. B. Coyle) ....Fordred 3 8 13
ROYAL ORB (Mr. John Adams) ..Brabazon 3 8 12
WHITE ORNAMENT (Mr. T. P. O'Neill) Parkinson 4 8 12
THE BAKER (Mr. John Burns) ..Doyle 3 8 10
THE MOUNT (Mr. N. J. Grene) ..Moss 3 8 10
LADY MAROIGNY (Mr. J. Musker) Parkinson 3 8 7
SMOKE LASS (Mr. Martin Fitzgerald) Rogers 3 8 7
SCARLET PIMPERNEL (Mr. C. Fagan) Grundy 4 8 7
CARA M'CREE (Col. Croft) ....Ussher 3 8 7
PRINCESS ATHOLINE (Mr. J. Breen) — 4 8 7

BLUETTE DISQUALIFIED.

The attention of the Stewards of the Turf Club having been drawn to the fact that Bluette was in the Forfeit List under her pedigree, disqualified her for the Kinsealy Plate at Baldoyle, and awarded the race to Away. They also disqualified her for the two previous races she had won—viz., at Limerick Junction and Proudstown Park. They considered that Mr. Coen, the owner, was ignorant of the fact that she was not qualified to run. Bets on the Kinsealy Plate go with the stakes.

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ALL-IRELAND CLUB.

To-day—Co. Dublin v. Co. Meath, at 4 o'clock. Practice at 4.45.

AYR RESULTS.

2.0—DOON SELLING HANDICAP of 300 sovs. Five furlongs.
Mrs. McLaughlin's ch. g. BATTERY SMOKE, by Light Brigade—Hazy Dawn, a, 9-0..J. Taylor 1
Mr. F. Armstrong's SILVERWELLS, 3, 6-12 Glasgow 2
Mr. W. Wyllie's MOUNT ATHOS, 3, 7-10 McLachlan, jun. 3
Also ran—Little Snooks (Thwaites), Spartleton (J. Childs), Naples (Speck), Soleil de Nuit (J. Reasley), Nabob (E. Wheatley), Sheffield Lane (J. Harding), Sir Bedevere (Wragg), Freshwoman (Lindborg), Doubler (R. Jones), Cœur de Lion (Parker), Meandering (J. Dansie), Irish Skies (Smirke), Eastern Valley (Richardson), The Merchant (K. Robertson).
Off at 2.4. Winner trained by Vasey.
Betting—2 to 1 agst. Irish Skies, 4 to 1 Eastern Valley, 8 to 1 BATTERY SMOKE, 10 to 1 Silverwells, 100 to 8 bar four.
Won by half a length; one length.
The winner was bought in for 470 guineas.

2.30—CRAIGENGILLIAN T.Y.O. PLATE of 250 sovs. Second, 20 sovs.; third, 20 sovs. 5 f.
Lord Rosebery's b. c. NIGEL, by Gay Crusader—Pennula, 8-7 ....E. C. Elliott 1
Mr. O'Sullivan's LITTLE GIFT, 8-11...L. Brown 2
Lord Wavertree's ROB, 8-7....H. Wragg 3
Also ran — Bergaurea (R. Jones), Tisiphone (Thwaites), Kalewater (Gilchrist).
Off at 2.30. Winner trained by J. Jarvis.
Betting—11 to 8 agst. Rob, 6 to 4 NIGEL, 7 to 1 Bergaurea, 10 to 1 bar three.
Won by two lengths; four lengths.

3.10—SCOTTISH DERBY of £1,200. For three-year-olds. Second, £100; third, £50. 1 m. 3 f.
Mr. W. Raphael's b. c. HENRI, by Harry of Hereford—Louvence, 8-2 ....S. Donoghue 1
Lord Rosebery's CREWE, 8-11....E. C. Elliott 2
Lord Durham's ROYSTERER, 9-4....J. Childs 3
Capt. Elsey's Snapshot, 7-12....J. Ledson 0
Off at 3.12. Winner trained by G. Sadler.
Betting—Evens HENRI, 9 to 4 agst. Crewe, 7 to 2 Roysterer, 20 to 1 Snapshot.
Snapshot was attended by Henri and Crewe for half a mile, when Henri took second place. As soon as the straight was reached the favourite drew right away, followed by Crewe, to win by eight lengths; same distance between second and third.

3.40—AUCHINCRUIVE 3-Y.-O. HANDICAP STAKES of 2 sovs. each (1 ft.), with 250 sovs. added. Second 30 sovs., third 20 sovs. 1 m.
Mr. E. Clark's b. c. LIGHT CAVALRY, by Charles O'Malley—Parafin Light, 7-9 G. Richards 1
Mr. J. Bell's ALL GREEN, 8-11....R. Jones 2
Lord Rosebery's DUNNOTTAR, 8-12...C. Elliott 3
Also ran—King's Fleet (Childs), Damsel (McLachlan, jun.). Off 3.43. (Winner trained by Hogg.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. All Green, 5 to 2 Dunnottar, 3 to 1 LIGHT CAVALRY, 6 to 1 bar three.
Won by a neck; same.

4.15—WEST OF SCOTLAND FOAL PLATE of 300 sovs. 6 f.
Lord Rosebery's br. f. SWASTIKA, by Galloper Light—Prue, 8-6 ....C. Elliott 1
Sir G. Renwick's CHRYSANTHEMUM, 8-1 J. Ledson 2
Lord Lascelles's BALIOS, 8-6 ....H. Wragg 3
Off 4.16. (Winner trained by J. Jarvis.)
Betting—11 to 10 on Balios, 2 to 1 agst. SWASTIKA, 4 to 1 Chrysanthemum.
Swastika was first away from Chrysanthemum, and making the whole of the running, won in a canter by three lengths; five lengths between second and third.

4.45—STEWARDS' PLATE of 250 sovs. Second 30 sovs., third 20 sovs. 1 m. 2 f.
Mr. G. Heath's br. c. AEROSTAR, by Sunstar—Lauda, 3, 8-3 ....L. Brown 1
Sir G. Murray's CORCYRIAN, 5, 9-0..J. Childs 2
Mr. Gray's TOO BAD, 3, 8-12....H. Beasley 3
Also ran—Clinch (Smirke), Lagano (Donoghue), Bushveld (Dearie). Off 4.45. (Winner trained by O'Sullivan.)
Betting—11 to 10 on Too Bad, 5 to 2 agst. Clinch, 7 to 1 AEROSTAR or any other.
Won by a short head; half a length.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

Although the racing at Ayr yesterday hardly reached the standard usual at the Western Meeting, the prospects for the second and more important stage are very bright. For one thing, the weather shows signs of improvement, and this fact alone should ensure a big attendance. The Ayrshire Handicap, the principal race of the meeting, will attract at least nine runners, and although Obliterate's prominent position in the St. Leger gives Sir Robert Jardine's colt an undeniable chance, owners of other candidates are not without hopes of upsetting the presumably good thing. Melibeus and Forerunner, for instance, are strongly fancied, while Shippon cannot be out of it altogether. Parmenio looks a good thing for the County Cup, while the Arran Nursery will provide plenty of speculation. Selections:—
Cuninghame Welter—**Winterton.**
Alloway Plate—**Horace Groom.**
Ayrshire Handicap—**Obliterate**
Arran Handicap—**Satan Bey.**
County Cup—**Parmenio.**
Kyle Stakes—**The Prude's Fall.**
Craigie Welter—**Jacquot.**

2.0—CUNINGHAME SELLING WELTER H'CAP. of 200 sovs. 1 m. 2 f. (Age. st. lb.)
SOMERFORD (Mr. J. Jarvis) ..J. Jarvis 4 9 9
CHEAP TALK (Mr. E. O'Sullivan) O'Sullivan 4 9 4
BARRIE BOY (Mr. G. Heath) O'Sullivan 4 8 11
DOON STAR (Mr. R. Hartley) ....Leng a 8 10
BRIGHT LIGHT (Lord Lonsdale) R. Armstrong 3 8 7
WINTERTON (Mr. W. Binnie)....Binnie 5 7 7
(The above have arrived.)
THIEF (Major Methven) ....Powell 4 9 8
SAFE TICKET (Mr L. Fattorini) Skelton 4 9 6
INDIAN GAUZE (Mr. G. Dick) Beaumont a 9 5
ICELANCE (Mr. E. Wilburn)....Angler a 9 3
MONEY GLASS (Mr. G. Dodd)...Elsey a 8 13
MONTAGU (Mr. R. Day) ....R. Day 4 8 13
CUT GLASS (Mr. R. Hartley) ....Leng 3 8 7
HOY (Mrs. McLaughlin) ....Vasey 3 8 5
MAIDWELL (Mr. W. Wyllie)....Wyllie 4 8 4
MILKSTREAM (Mr. J. McCall) ..McCall 3 8 2
MARTEN WING (Mr. J. McLean) McGuigan 4 7 13

2.30—ALLOWAY T.Y.O. SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. 5 f. (st. lb.)
ANGLE'S HOPE (Mr. J. Bell) ....Pope 9 0
GALMIS MAID (Mr. G. Coldbeck) Coldbeck 8 11
FRENCH BEAN (Mr. G. Dick) ...Beaumont 8 11
HORACE GROOM (Mr. J. Jarvis) J. Jarvis 8 11
(The above have arrived.)
HELDFAST (Mr. O. Bell) ....O. Bell 9 4
MR. TINKLE (Lady Torrington) Bartholomew 9 4
BOLD WINKFIELD (Mr. Cairns) ..Peacock 9 0
HIRAM (Mr. F. Hartigan) ....F. Hartigan 9 0
SAINTLY LORD (Mr. J. McClean) McGuigan 9 0
WESTERN STAR (Mr. T. Ryan) ....Persse 9 0
FAIRYLIKE (Mr. W. Waldron) ....Jones 9 0
LACKLAND (Sir A. Bailey) ....R. Day 8 11
MRS. PEACH (Mr. W. Barker) ....Private 8 11
MYSTIC NIGHT (Mr. G. Barnett) Barthropp 8 11
LA REINE (Miss Beadon) ....Private 8 11
CRAGFORD (Mr. E. Clark) ....Peacock 8 11
TRIM TOP (Mr. R. W. Colling) R. W. Colling 8 11
WHITE VEIL F. (Capt. Crawford) Crawford 8 11
SAUCEBOAT (Mrs. Sol Joel) ....De Mestre 8 11
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DEMETER G. (Lord Lonsdale) Templeman 8 11
FADUA'S PRIDE F. (Mr. [illegible]) Barthropp 8 11
ANNIE LAURIE F. (Capt. B. Rochfort) Rochfort 8 11
SIMONSKID (Miss Rodocanachi) ....Powell 8 11
BUCKRAM (Mr. E. O'Sullivan) O'Sullivan 8 11
SILENT GUN (Mr. A. Scott) ....A. Scott 8 11
MARGARINE (Mrs. A. Scott) ....A. Scott 8 11
WING CLIPPER (Mr. M. Vasey)......Vasey 8 11
INQUISITION (Mrs. S. Whitburn) ...Cottrill 8 11

3.10—AYRSHIRE HANDICAP PLATE of 1,000 sovs. Second 50 sovs, third 30 sovs. 1 m. 3 f. (Age st. lb.)
SHIPPON (Mr. T. Davidson) ....Cottrill 7 9 0
RESINATO (His Majesty) ....R. Marsh 3 7 13
MELIBEUS (Mr C. Gordon) ....J. Jarvis 5 7 12
OBLITERATE (Sir R. Jardine) R. W. Colling 3 7 12
FORERUNNER (Mr. E. Clark) ....Hogg 6 7 9
SAUCY KATE (Mr. J. Kinney) ....Wyllie 3 7 0
CHEAP TALK (Mr. O'Sullivan) O'Sullivan 4 6 9
(The above have arrived.)
CLONESPOE (Mr. N. Grene)......Moss 4 8 4
SILVER BAND (Capt. Wilson) J. Renwick 5 8 4
VOLTOI (Mr. J. M'Auley) ....Coombs 3 7 12
EL OBEID (Lt. Col. Blacker) R. Dawson 5 7 9
ACTIUS (Sir L. Green) ....J. Renwick 4 7 6
LEGEND (Mr. J. M'Lean) ....M'Guigan 4 7 5
POMME ROYALE (Mr. Fraser) ..R. Day 3 7 3
DARRAGH (Mr. T. Queen) ....Wyllie 4 7 3
PILLORY (Mr D. M'Laren) ....Wyllie 5 7 2
HOPE DEFERRED (Capt. J. H.-Broadley) Beaumont 5 7 0
ST. CORMAC (Mr. Sandeman) ....Elsey 4 6 13
COLESBERG (Sir A. Bailey) ....R. Day 3 6 13

3.40—ARRAN NURSERY H'CAP. of 350 sovs. Second 30 sovs, third 20 sovs. 5 f. (st. lb.)
SATAN BEY (Mr. J. Connor)....Gunter 8 10
NIGEL (7lb. ex.) (Lord Rosebery)...J. Jarvis 8 5
SWASTIKA (Lord Rosebery)....J. Jarvis 7 11
HEART OF ITALY (Mr. W. Neilson) Walls 7 0
(The above have arrived.)
ALGA F. (Mr. J. Baird)....F. Hogg 9 0
PRICELIST (Capt. Elsey) ....Elsey 8 9
BAGPIPES (Mr. Sol Joel)....De Mestre 8 8
SOME SLIP (Lord Carlisle)....Butters 8 8
WARRIOR'S SHIELD (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen) O. Bell 8 8
WANG (Sir J. Rutherford)....R. Day 8 2
IONIA C. (Mr. J. Baird)....Hogg 8 1
FRENCH MARTEN (Mr. H. Mollekin) Vasey 8 1
LANCASHIRE LASS (Mr. F. Curzon) Watts 7 13
LADY TOR (Col. Tweedie) ....McCall 7 13
TIERCEL (Mr. H. Crawford)....Vasey 7 13
WAR MAIDEN (Sir R. Jardine) R. W. Colling 7 13
KISSER (Mr. V. Thompson) F. Hartigan 7 12
SATURNALIA (Mr. J. Campbell)..Thomson 7 0

4.10—COUNTY CUP, a plate of 500 sovs. Second 30 sovs., third 20 sovs. 2 m. 159 yds. (Age st. lb.)
OBLITERATE (Sir R. Jardine) R. W. Colling 3 9 2
PARMENIO (Lord Rosebery) ...J. Jarvis 3 9 2
CREWE (Lord Rosebery)....J. Jarvis 3 9 2
(The above have arrived.)
BRISK (Mr. J. Baird) ....Hogg 4 10 3
JAZZ BAND (Mr. A. Scott) ....Owner 5 10 3
NORSEMAN (Mr. J. White) ....L. Ward 5 10 3
INKERMAN (Mr. Reid Walker) Taylor 4 10 3
ACTIUS (Sir L. Green) ....Renwick 4 9 13
CEYLONESE (Sir A. Bailey) ...R. Day 5 9 12
HIGHBROW (Lord Derby) ...Lambton 5 9 9
KILVEMNON (Lord Merthyr) ....Powell a 9 5
RUY BLAS (Mr. J. Settle) ...C. Davis 5 9 5
BELLMAN (Mr. F. Curzon) ....Watts 5 9 2
POLYPHONTES (Mr. S Joel) De Mestre 3 9 2
LIVE WIRE (Lord Wolverton) Lambton 3 9 2
BLUE ICE (Lord Derby) ....Lambton 3 8 12
THE BORDERER (Mr. J. Watts) Peacock 3 8 11
BARONSCOURT (Mr. W. Mitchell) Hammett 4 8 4
ROI ROUGE (Mr. A. Scott) ....Owner 4 8 2
SUNSONG (Mr. A. Scott) ....Owner 4 8 1
INCHRORY (Mr. Reid Walker) C. Doyle 4 8 1
KING THEO (Mr. J. Hutchinson) Hutchinson 3 7 3
CHARLEY'S MOUNT (H.H. Aga Khan) R. Dawson 3 7 8
GOLDEN EMBLEM (Capt. B. Rochfort) Rochfort 3 7 8

4.45—KYLE (H'cap.) STAKES of 5 sovs. each (2 ft.), with 250 sovs. added. Second 30 sovs., third 20 sovs. 5 f. (Age. st. lb.)
LADY CLARA (Mr. T. Davidson) Cottrill 5 8 7
BLANDUS (Mr. J. McLean) ...Coldbeck 3 8 6
THE PRUDE'S FALL (Capt. Wilson) J. Renwick 5 8 2
THISTLE GLASS (Mr. J. Rowson) Beatty 3 7 8
SHEFFIELD LANE (Mr. R. Hartley) Leng 4 6 11
(The above have arrived.)
POETASTER (Lord Rosebery)...J. Jarvis 4 8 9
ZARATE (Capt. Brassey) ....Persse 3 8 6
KING OF CLUBS (Mr. T. Davidson) Cottrill 4 8 1
TOO EAGER (Capt. Wilson) J. Renwick 5 8 0
POLYANNA (Mr. Sol Joel) ...De Mestre 3 8 0
FREE STATE (Mr. W. Waldron) ...Jones 3 8 0
RED CYDER (Mr. V. Thompson) F. Hartigan 3 7 11
CYRUS (Mr. C. Wadia) ....Crawford 3 7 10
DUNIN (Mr. F. Jopling) ....Renton 4 7 8
CHARITY LAND (Mr. L. Fattorini) Skelton 5 7 9
PROUD MAGIC (Mr. N. Cunningham) McCall 3 7 7
BOLOGNA (Mr. W. Dallas) ....Wyllie 5 7 3
WEDDING DAY (Sir A. Bailey) R. Day 3 7 3
BATTLES (Mr. H. Steel) ....Walls 6 7 2
EULALIA (Lord Derby) ....Lambton 3 6 12
STERNMARCH (Mr. H. Morris) ....Vasey 3 6 4

5.15—CRAIGIE WELTER H'CAP. of 100 sovs. to winner. Second 30 sovs., third 20 sovs. 1 m. (Age. st. lb.)
JACQUOT (Mr. Johnstone) G. Armstrong 5 12 2
MARCIA (Capt. Wilson)....J. Renwick a 11 4
KING'S FLEET (Lord Queenborough) Rochfort 3 11 4
COLINDALE (Mr. W. Mason)....Binnie 5 11 3
(The above have arrived.)
STOCKWOOD (Mr. J. Rhodes)...Peacock a 11 13
LORD ALDBOROUGH (Capt. Crawford) Crawford 3 11 11
MOCKING BIRD (Mr. Wyllie)....Wyllie 5 11 10
FARIRAY (Mr. Monahan)....Coulthwaite a 11 9
WEST COUNTRYMAN (Sir R. Jardine) Coulthwaite 6 11 6
ENVOY (Mr. H. Brown)....H. Brown a 11 4
RIVOLTA (Mr. G. Gunter)....Gunter 3 11 0
BLUE SOL (Mrs. Reynolds) G. Armstrong 4 10 13
ULYSSES (Mr. J. Hartley)....Bazley 6 10 12
PAULINUS (Miss Rodocanachi)....Powell 5 10 10
VESUVIUS (Brig.-Gen. Rotton) J. Renwick 4 10 7
BRAXINA (Mr. A. Scott)....A. Scott a 10 6
SUNSONG (Mr. A. Scott) ....A. Scott 4 10 5
MEDALLION (Mr. Peacock)....Peacock 3 10 4
KILNWICK (Mr. R. Renton) ....Renton 5 10 3
ROSEMARY (Mr. W. Webster) M'Cormack 4 10 0
THE SHARK (Mr. M'Guigan) M'Guigan a 10 0

NEWTON ABBOT.

YESTERDAY'S RETURN.

2.15—SOUTH DEVON 'CHASE HANDICAP.
TURNING POINT (3 to 1 agst.)....Parvin 1
PRICKLY (5 to 4 on) ....J. Anthony 2
ROUSHAM (5 to 1) ....Mr. E. Pearce 3
Five ran.

2.45—SELLING HANDICAP HURDLE.
SMERDIS (6 to 4 agst.) ....A. Yates 1
ROSHERVILLE (8 to 1) ....A. Smith 2
POT O' CREAM (7 to 2) ....Parvin 3
Eight ran.

3.15—UGBROOKE STEEPLECHASE HANDICAP.
PALM RING (9 to 2 on) ....E. Foster 1
GOLDEN AREA ....J. Rennison 2
Two ran.

3.45—CHURCHILL'S HURDLE HANDICAP.
CHILTINGTON (10 to 1 agst.) Mr. M. Rayson 1
READING (2 to 1) ....Smith 2
NONENTITY (6 to 1) ....Parvin 3
Eight ran.

4.15—TEIGNBRIDGE 'CHASE HANDICAP.
WELTON (5 to 2 agst.) ....Burne 1
COLESTOWN (Evens) ....Owner 2
CINDRALLY (8 to 1) ....R. Philip 3
Six ran.

4.45—NOVICES' HURDLE RACE.
ST. MADOC (5 to 2 agst.) ....J. Anthony 1
FESTOON (7 to 4) ....Smith 2
TRUSTY (3 to 1) ....Stott 3
Eight ran.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

W. Howard, the English jockey, has been engaged to ride Grave Fairy in the Cambridgeshire.

In addition to winning the St. Leger on Zodiac yesterday G. Archibald rode Speedy Prince to victory in the Experts' Stakes, and S. Jeffery, the Heath House trainer, also brought off a double event.

By his success in the Irish St. Leger yesterday Zodiac incurs a 10lb. penalty for the Cesarewitch, bringing his weight to 8st. 3lb. Zarope's weight in that race is 7st. The latter leaves to-day for Captain Boyd Rochfort's place at Newmarket, where he will complete his preparation for the race.

The runners for the King's Plate at the Curragh to-day will be Blue Fish (T. Burns), Beppin (J. Moylan), Fallochy (Joseph Canty), Highlandmore (E. M. Quirke), Navan Lass (Joseph Dawson), Maureen Bawn (J. Dines), and Dinia (M. Wing). Navan Lass will be offered for sale after the race.

The field for the Railway Stakes at the Curragh to-day will include Lisworney (E. M. Quirke), Airlie (M. Wing), Snow Boy, Capture Him (G. Archibald), Rosmeen, St. Donagh, Talagwa, Maynooth, Lady of the Lake, Captivating Hack (A. Barrett), Rhea (J. Dines).

Mr. P. Rogers has bought, at a long price, from Mrs. Douglas Osborne the high-class sire The Boss, whose new quarters are the Glasgarin Stud, Ratoath, County Dublin. It is interesting to note that his list is practically full, as the result of subscriptions booked to him by English breeders after the success of Heverswood at Doncaster last week and the successes early in the year by Golden Boss.

Soldennis's victory in the Turf Club Cup yesterday was his twenty-second success. He won, amongst other races in Ireland, the National Produce Stakes, the April Stakes (three times), the Two Thousand Guineas, the Drogheda Memorial Stakes (twice), and the Turf Club Cup (twice). He will not be taken out of training immediately, but will finish his racing career this season, and go to the stud next year, at Heath House, Maryborough.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

WESTERN MEETING (AYR).
Western Meeting engagements—Vesuvius, Fossway f., Picotee g., Lady Bayardo f.
Craigengellan Plate—Castlederg.
Alloway Selling Plate—Inchcape Rock.
WINDSOR MEETING.
Garter Inn Stakes—Illyrian.
Pistol Selling Handicap—Vixen's Holt.
Bardolph Plate—Flaith Mor.
EDINBURGH MEETING.
Buccleuch Handicap—Eltonian.
Edinburgh engagements—Jailer, Hapsford.
MISCELLANEOUS.
Bradford Handicap, Leicester—Hong Kong.
Selling Handicap, Gatwick—Shiny Kid.
Lanark engagements—Winterton.
Carmichael Handicap, Lanark—Eltonian.
T.Y.O. Plate, Yarmouth—Castledry.
Yarmouth engagements—Adularia.
Bretby Welter Handicap, Newmarket; Autumn Handicap, Newmarket; and Harborne Plate, Birmingham—Tartarese.
Portland Nursery Handicap, Bogside—Inchcape Rock.
Moor Open T.Y.O. Plate, Lingfield—Valdore, Rodeo.
Cesarewitch Trial Plate, Lingfield—Irish Molly.
Yarmouth Engagements—Chez Toi.

MOTOR BOATING.

M.Y.C. OF I. (LEINSTER BRANCH).

At a committee meeting of the Dublin Centre of the Motor Yacht Club of Ireland yesterday afternoon, it was decided to abandon the idea of racing this year for the "Baile-ath-Cliath" and "Dun Laoghaire" Cups, it being now too late in the season to be able to count on suitable weather, and also because it might penalise owners who have laid up their boats for the season. So the first of the three races for each will be deferred until May next, the second tie coming off in July, and the third and decider about the first of next September. The "Baile-ath-Cliath" Cup is, by the way, the cup erroneously styled before the "Eblana" Cup.

There is every promise of a brisk motor boat racing season in and about Dublin Bay and coastline next year. At the committee meeting in question a very hopeful view was taken of local support and resources and every possible effort will be made to place the sport on a firm and popular basis.

YARMOUTH RESULTS.

2.0—MONUMENT T.Y.O. PLATE (S.), £200. About 5 f. and 25 yds.
Mr. J. Hassan's PRUNELLE GELDING, by The White Knight, 7-11 ....Perryman 1
Sir A. Gold's KAZBEK, 8-0 ....H. Leach 2
Mr. H. Devitt's SORTANCE, 8-0 ....M. Beary 3
Also ran—Snowcloud (Orme), Tilly colt (R. Dick), Tip Tack (Haynes), Star of Asia (A. Burns), Bramble Berry (Alford), Floatage [illegible] (Bonham), Vera Stanton (Harwood), Chrysalis filly (G. Walsh). Off at 2.5. (Winner trained by H. Leader.)
Betting—3 to 1 agst. Kazbek, 7 to 2 Tilly colt, 4 to 1 Star of Asia, 5 to 1 Sortance, 10 to 1 Bramble Berry, 100 to 8 PRUNELLE GELDING or any other.
Won by three-quarters of a length; a short head.
The winner was bought in for 120 gns.

2.30—NELSON PLATE, £200. 1 m. 5 f. and 100 yds.
Mr. T. Edge's bl. h. CRUBENMORE, by Tracery—Balnacoil, 6, 8-9 ....F. Gardner 1
Mr. A. de Rothschild's PECCADILLO, 3, 7-8 F. Fox 2
Mr. A. Boutall's (jun.) GOLDEN, 3, 9-0 Jelliss 3
Also ran—Front Line (C. King), Put and Take (J. Leach), Tuscan (Hulme). Off at 2.31. (Winner trained by Poole.)
Betting—5 to 2 agst. Peccadillo, 3 to 1 CRUBENMORE, 4 to 1 Golden, 6 to 1 Tuscan, 7 to 1 each Front Line and Put and Take.
Won by a neck; half a length.

3.0—NORTH DENES PLATE (S.), £200. 1¼ m.
Mr. W. R. Jarvis's br. c. FROCKED, by Friar Marcus—Rock Juliette, 4, 9-0 ....W. Alford 1
Mr. A. Clarke's DERVISH, 6, 8-4 ..McLachlan 2
Mr. H. Benjamin's KING'S LIGHT, 4, 8-7 Perryman 3
Also ran—13th Hussar (Jelliss), Young Visiter (Timmins), Page (J. Leach), First Ruler (E. Roberts), Woodford Green (T. Barber), House of Keys (Orme), Holdfast (Gardner). Off at 3.3. (Winner trained by W. Jarvis.)
Betting—7 to 4 agst. Page, 4 to 1 Holdfast, 6 to 1 King's Light, 8 to 1 each Dervish and 13th Hussar, 10 to 1 FROCKED, 100 to 8 any other.
Won by half a length; same.
The winner was bought in for 220 gns.

3.30—NORFOLK AND SUFFOLK HANDICAP, £300. 1 m.
Mr. A. Buston's br. g. KILMOON, by Bachelor's Double—Moonbridge, 4, 7-0....Walford 1
Mr. A. Ash's DUTEOUS, 4, 7-12....Perryman 2
Mr. Beer's RADIANT RIVER, 5, 7-5...H. Leach *
Sir R. Jardine's FREE FROM PRIDE, 4, 7-4 A. Orme *
Also ran—Clochnaben (A. Burns), Carlam (A. Haynes). *Dead-heat for third place. Off 3.31. (Winner trained by W. Waugh.)
Betting — 11 to 8 on Duteous, 9 to 2 agst. KILMOON, 8 to 1 each Clochnaben and Free from Pride, 10 to 1 any other.
Won by a neck; a length.

4.0—GREAT YARMOUTH T.Y.O. PLATE, £200. About 5 f. 25 yards.
Lord Durham's ch. f. POLUSKA, by Rochester—Polyxena, 9-2 ....F. Gardner 1
Mr. W. Lysaght's BESSBOROUGH, 9-0 H. Jelliss 2
Lord Coventry's DEATH DUTY, 8-11...M. Beary *
Sir R. Jardine's SKY PILOT, 8-11...W. Lister *
Also ran—Perfidious (J. Leach). Off 4.2. (Winner trained by Peck). *Dead-heat for third place.
Betting — 6 to 4 on POLUSKA, 2 to 1 agst. Perfidious, 10 to 1 Bessborough, 100 to 8 Sky Pilot, 20 to 1 Death Duty.
Won by a length; same.

4.30—HASTINGS NURSERY HANDICAP, £160. About 5 f. 25 yards.
Mr. A. Ash's ch. f. CORAL WREATH, by Rock savage—Desolation, 8-3 ....J. Leach 1
Mr. W. Stratton's WALLFLOWER, 7-3 H. Leach 2
Mr. A. Dawson's PTARMIGAN, 8-8...H. Jelliss 3
Also ran—Sheenette (H. Berry), Gaderene (A. Burns). Off 4.30. (Winner trained by H. Leader.)
Betting—7 to 4 agst. CORAL WREATH, 3 to 1 Ptarmigan, 4 to 1 each Sheenette and Wallflower, 20 to 1 Gaderene.
Won by six lengths; four lengths.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

The second stage of the Yarmouth Meeting promises rather better sport than that of yesterday, though fields do not promise to be particularly strong. The going, however, is in excellent condition, and only the coughing is likely to spoil the usual strong Newmarket support. Proceedings open with a selling nursery, for which New Style should be something in the nature of a good thing, for she was most unlucky when defeated by Grisildis at Doncaster. She will probably, however, not be backed in this class of race, and my choice, therefore, falls on Snowcloud. The Gorleston Nursery looks an open affair, in which I have most fancy for Larkspur II. filly and Nottingham Pet. The first-named has incurred a 12lb. penalty, but she won her race at Doncaster from a good-class field and may not be out of it even now. For the winner, however, I shall rely on Nottingham Pet. Had Lauzun not run so badly in the Ebor Handicap I should have strongly fancied him for the Durham Handicap, in which Midnight Folly is nicely weighted, and, as she stays well, may prove a safe each way bet. Selections:—
Selling Nursery—**Snowcloud.**
Gorleston Plate—**Nottingham Pet.**
Yare Handicap—**Golden Way.**
Durham Handicap—**Midnight Folly**; if absent, **Lauzun.**
T.Y.O. Plate—**Phalaros.**
Sandringham Plate—**Packwood.**

2.0—SELLING NURSERY HANDICAP, £200. 5 f. 25 yards.
FULLPITCH (Lord Glanely)....C. Marsh 9 0
CHEZ TOI (Mr. V. Misa) ....Escott 9 0
REGAL TOY (Major M'Calmont)....Persse 8 13
LAST HOUSE (Mr. Hamshaw)....Hamshaw 8 13
KAZBEK (Sir A. Gold)....Leach, sen. 8 11
SHEENETTE C. (Mrs. Stevens)....Stevens 8 11
BRAMBLE BERRY (Mr. Butters)...Butters 8 10
HEMISPHERE F. (Mrs. Stevens)....Stevens 8 9
SNOWCLOUD (Mr. S. Beer)....Leach, jun. 8 8
NEW STYLE (Mr. D. Fraser)....R. Day 8 7
CELTICI (Mr. F. Barling)....Barling 8 6
CREOLE G. (Mr. J. Leigh)....C. Leader 8 6
PAGAN SACRIFICE G. (Mr. Boutall, jun.) Earl 8 5
ROYAL STANDARD (Mr. W. Lysaght) B. Jarvis 8 5
TIGER TIM (Mr. J. Austen)....C. Waugh 8 5
ASHBELLE F. Mr. J. Sharp)....Walters 8 5
HORACE GROOM (Mr. S. Beer)..J. Jarvis 8 4
BILLING ARBOURS (Mr. W. Sears) Leach, jun. 8 4
RING HONEY (Mr. G. Bennett)..G Bennett 8 4
CHRISTMAS DAY (Miss W. Knight) G. Bennett 8 4
HAPPY LAND (Mrs. A. Sadler, jun.) Sadler, jun. 8 3
DOUBLE NOTE F. (Sir B. Sheffield) Butters 8 3
QUEL BAISER (Mr. Purefoy)....Harper 8 3
BLUE SPECTACLES (Captain B. Brady) Woodland 8 2
STOLEN RING (Mr. Boutall, jun.)....Earl 8 1
PETROS (Mr. G. Poole) ....G. Poole 8 0
COUNTESS OF LEMBERG F. (Lt.-Col. G. Parkinson) ....J. Reardon 7 13
RAVEN'S AIT (Mrs. K. Paling)....Smyth 7 12

2.30—GORLESTON NURSERY HANDICAP PLATE, £100. 5 f. 25 yds. (st. lb.)
YAMANAKA (His Majesty)....R. Marsh 9 0
PROBUS (Mr. F. Luscombe)....C. Waugh 9 0
LARKSPUR II. F. (Mr. C. Leader)..C Leader 8 10
NOTTINGHAM PET (Colonel Story) J. Dawson 8 6
SKYWHITE (12lb. ex.) (Mr. Tees)...Larkin 9 0
PRISON BARS (Mr. F. Barling)....Barling 8 2
ALEPPON (Mr. G. Barclay)....Barclay 8 2
HAND FROM HEAVEN (Lord Wolverton) Lambton 8 1
AGENT PROVOCATEUR (Mr. A. Hesketh) Toon 8 0
BERKELEY BRIDGE (Mr. H. Collins) Collins 8 0
LADY'S BLUSH (Mr. P. Ralli)....A. Sadler 8 0
NINON (Mr. H. Gray)....S. Darling 8 0
DAME PRUDENT F. (Lord Derby)...Lambton 7 13
HARDY BELLE (Mr. H. Lines)....Lines 7 13
NETTIE C. (Captain Davy)....Beatty 7 13
SHEENETTE C. (Mrs. C. Stevens)...Stevens 7 12
ALMEIDO (Lord Harewood)....B. Jarvis 7 12
KING OF THULE (Miss W. Knight) G. Bennett 7 12
MELITHEA (Maj. Morrison) ....Whitaker 7 12
MAGIC RAY (Mr. R. Waterhouse) Edwards 7 12
ROSELAND'S PRIDE (Mr. T. Bosvile) Colling 7 12
AGILITY (Lord Barnby) ....Persse 7 11
BRAMBLE BERRY (Mr. J. Butters) Butters 7 11
KAZBEK (Sir A. Gold)....F. Leach 7 11
SKYBLAZE (Lord Glanely)....C. Marsh 7 11
EVEREST F. (Mr. T. Case) ....C. Waugh 7 10
BODLEIAN (Mr. J. White) ....L. Ward 7 10
GUILLEMOT (Lord Glanely) ....C. Marsh 7 10
SNOWCLOUD (Mr. S. Beer) ....Leach, jun. 7 10
CREOLE G. (Mr. J. Leigh) ....C. Leader 7 9
LAWLESS C. (Mrs. C. Stevens) ...Stevens 7 9
PAGAN SACRIFICE G. (Mr. A. Boutall, jun) Earl 7 9
ALMOND ROCK F. (Mrs. J. Taylor) F. Leader 7 8
HEART OF ITALY (Mr. W. Neilson) Walls 7 8
CHRISTMAS DAY (Miss W. Knight) A. Day 7 8
FIREPROOF (Lord Penrhyn) ...H. Sadler 7 7
DOUBLE NOTE F. (Sir B. Sheffield) Butters 7 6
HAPPY LAND (Mrs. A. Sadler, jun.) A. Sadler 7 6
GRAND FAIRY (Lord Glanely) ...C. Marsh 7 5

3.0—YARE (S.) HANDICAP, £200. 5f. 32yds.
RING TRUE (Mr. B. Coulson) ....James 6 9 0
CROSSJACK (Mr. H. Rich) ....Martin 4 8 11
GOLDEN WAY (Mr. V. Misa) ....Escott 5 8 11
BAYTOI (Mr. G. Barclay) ....Barclay 5 8 8
LOWOOD (Mr. W. Griggs) W. Griggs 4 8 8
SON O' SIMON (Capt. Brady) Woodland 6 8 7
CUSHY (Capt. B. Brady) ....Woodland 6 8 7
GOLD WILLOW (Mr. H. Leader) H. Leader 4 8 7
BENULA (Mr. F. Groves) ....Groves 6 8 7
BANTRY (Sir H. Bird) ....Hammond 7 8 7
PLUCKY JENNY (Sir E. Edgar) Whitaker 3 8 6
MOONING (Mr. M'Alpine) ....C. Leader 3 8 6
GRACEFUL BABY (Mrs. C. Stevens) Stevens 4 8 6
DESPERATION (Mr. H. Lines) ....Lines 5 8 5
GOLDEN ERROR (Mr. Moss) Butchers 4 8 5
ANTIMAGIC (Mr. Osmond) ....Larkin 6 8 5
SAINTLY MAID (Mr. Morel) M'Kenna 5 8 3
RUN OUT (Mr. A. M. Jones) ....Turner 3 8 1
POMONA (Mr. W. Vincent) ....Powney 3 8 0
KWANGO (Mr. J. Austen) ...C. Waugh 3 8 0
SYRIAN (Mr. J. Dugdale) ....Escott 3 8 0
POLYPHONY (Mr. S. Joel) ....Wootton 3 8 0
SANDY HOOK (Mr. J. Hull) F. Leader 3 7 12
ACE OF DIAMONDS (Mr. Giannelli) Shedden 5 7 10
WESTCROFT (Mr. Griggs) ...W. Griggs 4 7 10
RHODARENE (Miss F. Goodman) T. Hulme 3 7 10
BLOSSOM (Mr. G. Waller) ....Smyth 3 7 10
MISS ELEGANCE (Mrs. E. Dickson) Foster 3 7 9
FOGGIA (Mr. A. Boutall, jun.) ....Earl 3 7 9
PHLOX (Mr. G. Bennett) ...G. Bennett 3 7 7
SEA CHARIOT (Mr. T. Walton) Martin 3 7 7
SAND DAB (Mr. Charters) ...G. Sadler 3 7 6
GALA GIRL (Miss M. Poole) G. Poole 3 7 3
SOUTH STRAND (Mr. Clark) ....Private 4 7 2
MERRY JEST (Mrs. R. Swan) Bewicke 3 7 1

3.30—DURHAM HANDICAP of £350. 1 m. 5 f. 110 yds. (Age. st. lb.)
CEINTURON (Lord Derby) ....Lambton 6 9 0
DESPOTE (Sir C. Paget) ....C. Leader 5 8 0
BRINKLOW (Mr. A. Worthington) W. Jarvis 6 8 4
LAUZAN (Mrs. J. Boswell) ....Walters 6 8 3
JACKDAW OF RHEIMS (Mr. J. White) L. Ward 4 8 1
LORD OFFALY (Mrs. Brock)....Bennett 5 7 12
FLORID (Mr. I. Vernon) ....Wootton 4 7 8
TREVISO (Col. Story) ....J. Dawson 5 7 6
BUCKS (Mr. G. Barclay) ....Barclay 6 7 4
RIGHT HO (Mr. Swanwick) ...Dawson 4 7 4
KNUD (Mr. J. Austen) ....C. Waugh 3 7 1
WERWOLF (Sir R. Jardine) ...Waugh 5 7 1
FRONT LINE (Mr. O. Mosley) ...Mosley a 6 12
COCK CROW (Sir R. Jardine) ...Colling 3 6 8
FOREIGN LEGION (Mrs. C. Gordon) Whitaker 3 6 5
TUSCAN (Miss A. Tyler) ....Larkin 6 6 5
MAHONIA (Mr. A. de Rothschild) Watson 3 6 5
ARUNTIUS (Mr. H. Leader) (5lb. ex.) H. Leader 3 6 8
MIDNIGHT FOLLY (Mr. H. Stokes) Smyth 3 6 2
MY STARS (Mr. S. Smith) ....Hyde 5 6 0
BALLYHANWOOD (Mr. E. Hill) Jarvis 3 6 0

4.0—A T.Y.O. PLATE, £100. 5 f. 25 yds. (st. lb.)
LODDINGTON (Mrs. C. Ismay) ....Persse 9 7
CONDE (Mr. T. Ryan) ....Persse 9 7
PREY (Mr. S. Darling) ....S. Darling 9 4
MELMOR (Mr. W. Sears) ....Leach, jun. 9 1
GREENELLA (Lady Hesketh) ...Leach, jun. 8 11
RUSSAVIL (Mr. J. Austen) ....C. Waugh 8 2
DUVET (Mr. R. W. Colling) ...R. W. Colling 8 2
SKYFIRE (Lord Glanely) ....C. Marsh 8 2
AGENT PROVOCATEUR (Mr. Hesketh) Toon 8 2
DUSKY NIPPER (Mr. Horlock) ....Griggs 8 2
PHALAROS (Mrs. A. James) ....Lambton 8 2
STIRRUP CUP (Mr. W. Lysaght) B. Jarvis 8 2
LAWLESS C. (Mrs. C. Stevens) ...Stevens 8 2
SHEENETTE C. (Mrs. C. Stevens)...Stevens 8 2
SPARKLING GEM (His Majesty) R. Marsh 7 13
KAZAN (Mr. J. Austen) ....C. Waugh 7 13
DUCHESS OF KILDARE F. (Mr. Butters) Butters 7 13
CRAIGDARROCH (Mr. J. Corrigan) ...Pope 7 13
GRAND FOLLY (Lord Glanely) ...C. Marsh 7 13
SHARP EYES (Sir R. Jardine) ...T. Waugh 7 13
ALL RIGHT F. (Mr. C. Leader)...C. Leader 7 13
NEVER WILL (Mr. R. McAlpine) C. Leader 7 13
GLOAMING (Mr. A. de Rothschild) Watson 7 13
ALARMED F. (Sir S. Scott) ....S. Darling 7 13
ULRIQUE F. (Mr. W. Stratton) ....Martin 7 13
QUEENLET F. (Mr. P. Whitaker) Whitaker 7 13
SKIPWITH (Capt. Whitworth) ....Butters 7 13

4.30—SANDRINGHAM MAIDEN (Apprentices) PLATE, £150. 1¼ m. (Age. st. lb.)
THE BOOBY (Mr. T. Stanley) ...Stanley 4 6 11
DESERT CHIEF (Mr. H. Sturdy) Private 4 6 11
ARCIERO (Mr. C. Leader)....C. Leader 4 6 11
TRUSTY (Mr. F. Ault)....Newey 4 6 11
POMPONIOUS (Sir R. Jardine) T. Waugh 3 6 5
CANUSA (Mr. M. Meyer) ....W. Jarvis 3 6 5
THE BLUES (Mr. H. Prince) ...Hedges 3 6 5
PACKWOOD (Mr. A. Ash) ...H. Leader 3 6 2
WINSOME WITCH (Mrs. J. Boswell) Walters 3 6 2
CAPRA (Mr. F. E. Groves) ....Mosley 3 6 2
TRAGACANTH (Lord H. de Walden) D. Waugh 3 6 2
COUNTER PROPOSITION (Mrs. C. Stevens) ....Stevens 3 6 2
CASINO GIRL (Mr. G. Strong) ...Hedges 3 6 2
FAUBOURG (Mr. J. White) ....L. Ward 3 6 2

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GOLF.

SOUTH OF IRELAND CHAMPIONSHIP.

DEFEAT OF HOLDER.

VETERAN IN THE LAST EIGHT.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

LAHINCH, Wednesday Night.

The defeat of the holder, Mr. Fitzjames Murphy, the Cork brewer, and the remarkable victories of Mr. Stradling, were the leading features of to-day's golf. Both these golfers are veterans, but Mr. Murphy is the younger by years, the Cirencester player, a low-sized, grey-haired, lightly-built man, wearing glasses, being in his 68th year. This grand old man has battled bravely and with marked success against the raging elements for two days, and this evening his name figures among the last eight, for in the forenoon he vanquished one of the hopes of the exuberant Cork contingent in Mr. Cooke, a scratchman, who in a couple of years has won something like a dozen monthly medals. The little man this morning was as steady as a rock, his short game making up for his lack of length from the tees. When he was 3 up with five to play it looked rather serious for the Corkonian, but then the match took a remarkable turn. Cooke, on crossing the road, played the stronger game against the wind, and became dormy one, but the old man plodded along with splendid determination, and he took the eighteenth and nineteenth for the match. Then, in the evening, he put out another Corkman, Mr. O'Callaghan, and this time his triumph was decisive.

At the close of the day only one Corkonian was standing, Mr. Simcox, the conqueror of the holder, and he will have to be playing good golf to-morrow to put out Mr. Kilduff. Three Kerrymen—Messrs. Quinlan, Downing, and Huggard—remain in, but Dublin has a formidable trio in Messrs. McConnell, Kilduff, and Crabbe. It was a pleasant change from drenching rain to bright sunshine which greeted the players this morning, but the wind was still blowing in powerful gusts from the south-west, and the playing of good golf was a physical impossibility.

Mr. McConnell, in his third round match with Mr. Coote, played patchy golf, and had one real bad streak. This came on going to the eighth, when he was in the comfortable position of 3 up. A lost ball cost him the hole, and Mr. Coote had drawn level at the tenth. The Portmarnock man went into the lead again at the eleventh, and then followed a succession of halves, but to the home hole Mr. Coote fluffed a couple of shots, and was beaten 2 and 1. He played good, steady golf, but Mr. McConnell was not on the best of terms with his driver. In the fourth round the winner had an easy match. He was out in 42 against Mr. Bolger for a three holes lead, and he won every other hole to the thirteenth.

Mr. Mooney and Mr. Kilduff had one of the best matches of the two days. The Milltown man won at the home hole, but had Mr. Mooney been putting well, the result might have been the other way about. Mr. Kilduff's excellent work near the end on the last three greens won the match for him, for twice he approached so accurately that he required only one putt; and then, like Mr. McConnell, he had a big win in the next round over Mr. Dowling after turning 3 up. Lieutenant Whelan had a bad breakdown in this morning's match with Mr. O'Callaghan. He was 2 up going to the third, which on these days has taken a heavy toll of the slicer, but here he lost a ball, and when they reached the turn Whelan was 3 down. The Corkonian became dormy, and he secured the necessary half for the match.

General Dalton, who beat Mr. Waller in the third round, again had a disastrous lapse in the next match with Mr. Crabbe. It was a very even struggle to the 8th, but going to the 9th Dalton topped his drive, became 1 down, and, skying his brassey to the 10th, he lost it also. A complete collapse followed, and he surrendered three more holes to become dormy 5 down, from which position there was no hope whatever of recovering.

Mr. Huggard overwhelmed Mr. M'Gowran in the forenoon, and his triumph over Colonel Tampling was little less decisive. The colonel was right off his game, was 5 down at the turn, having lost the 1st 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th and 8th, and the end came at the 13th. The holder was vanquished by a promising young Cork golfer, Mr. Simcox, who hits a long ball, and plays all his shots extremely well. Mr. Simcox turned 1 up, but he was deprived of his lead at the 11th, where he pulled his 3rd. He, however drew ahead again at the next hole, and on crossing the road he played the stronger game. Still the champion stuck to his guns in fine style, but he made a bad shot at the critical stage. This was on the way to the 17th, where, after a short drive, he hit his second out of bounds, and that mistake brought about his downfall by 2 and 1. Details:—

THIRD ROUND.
W. F. Quinlan (Tralee) beat Rex Murphy (Cork)—5 and 4.
W. J. Carbery (Lahinch) beat M. J. Doolan (Birr)—6 and 5.
P. Bolger (Lahinch) beat T. S. Roche (Carlow)—4 and 3.
W. G. M'Connell (Portmarnock) beat C. P. Coote (Royal Dublin)—2 up.
D. Downing (Lahinch) beat T. B. Blaney (Limerick)—2 and 1.
D. Beatty (Foxrock) beat M. D. Higgins (Sligo)—5 and 4.
A. Stradling (Circencester) beat W. M. Cooke (Cork)—At 19th.
W. O'Callaghan (Monkstown) beat H. Whelan (Hermitage)—2 and 1.
F. E. Dowling (Ennis) beat F. Lenehan (Galway)—1 up.
E. Kilduff (Milltown) beat E. Mooney (Royal Dublin)—1 up.
Fitzjames Murphy (Cork) beat R. J. Arnott (Lahinch)—4 and 3.
R. Simcox (Douglas) beat W. Dwyer (Cork)—2 and 1.
J. Dalton (Hermitage) beat O. Waller (Birr)—4 and 3.
J. Crabbe (Foxrock) beat F. H. Hill (Cork)—6 and 5.
R. T. Tamplin (Grange) beat J. E. Beatty (Foxrock)—3 and 2.
W. C. Huggard (Portmarnock) beat J. J. M'Gowran (Hermitage)—8 and 6.

FOURTH ROUND.
Quinlan beat Carbery—4 and 2.
M'Connell beat Bolger—7 and 5.
Downing beat D. Beatty—5 and 3.
Stradling beat O'Callaghan—4 and 3.
Kilduff beat Dowling—5 and 3.
Simcox beat Fitzjames Murphy—2 and 1.
Crabbe beat Dalton—8 and 6.
Huggard beat Tamplin—6 and 5.

THE GIRLS' CHAMPIONSHIP.

THE TITLE GOES TO FRANCE.

Mdlle Thion de la Chaume yesterday, at Stoke Poges, won the Girls' Championship, beating in the 18 holes final Miss Dorothy Pearson (St. Andrews) by a margin of 4 and 2. Although Miss Pearson did fairly well at times in the final, she was outplayed by the French competitor. Results:—

Semi-Finals. — Miss Dorothy Pearson (St. Andrews) beat Miss Beryl Ayling (Pollards Hill)—2 and 1; Mdlle. Thion de la Chaume (St. Cloud, Paris) beat Miss Enid Wilson (Chesterfield)—2 and 1.

Final.—Mdlle de la Chaume beat Miss Pearson—4 and 2.

AMERICAN PROFESSIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP.

FRENCH LICK, Wednesday.

Jim Barnes (unattached) overwhelmed Eddie Towns (Pittsburgh) in the third round of the American Professional Championship on the French Lick Springs course to-day, winning by 10 and 9. Results:—Third Round—Walter Hagen (Detroit) beat A. Watrous (Grand Rapids)—4 and 3; J. J. Farrell (Quaker Ridge) beat W. MacFarlane (Port Washington)—3 and 1; Jim Barnes (unattached) beat E. Towns (Shannopin, Pittsburgh)—10 and 9.

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THE SCOTTISH SECTION.

In the Scottish sectional qualifying competition over 36 holes at Whitecraigs, the following players passed into the tournament proper:—Tom Fernie (Turnberry), 72, 72, 144; R. McInnes (Whitecraigs), 73, 74, 147; Arthur Butchart (Barassie), 74, 73, 147.

THE SOUTHERN SECTION.

A wonderful display of golf by the veterans featured yesterday's play in the Southern sections qualifying competition in the £750 Tournament. The first half of the 36 holes was decided at Cassiobury Park, near Watford. Long and accurate hitting was called for, and it is greatly to the credit of the older school that it more than stayed off the challenge of the younger players. J. H. Taylor was the hero of the day. In a round remarkable for the brilliance of his mashie shots, he finished in 68, a new competition record for the course, to lead the field by two strokes. The leading returns were:—J. H. Taylor (Mid. Surrey), 68; A. G. Havers (Coombe Hill), 70; A. F. Hockey (Enfield), George Gadd (Roehampton), W. B. Smith (Hadley Wood), G. Kirby (Stoneham) and James Ockenden (Raynes Park), 72.

CURRAGH v. CARLOW.

Played at the Curragh:—

Mrs. Minch	0	Miss McConkey	1
Mrs. Johnson	1	Miss Keogh	0
Mrs. Sex	1	Miss Morton	0
Miss Reeves	1	Miss Mullally	0
Miss Coffey	1	Miss O'Donnell	0
Miss Mallick	1	Miss Greene	0
Mrs. Minch and Mrs. Johnson	1	Miss McConkey and Miss Keogh	0
Mrs. Sex and Miss Coffey	0	Miss Morton and Miss O'Donnell	1
Miss Reeves and Mrs. Mallick	0	Miss Mullally and Miss Greene	1
Total	6	Total	3

PORTMARNOCK.—Draw for Portmarnock Cup. First Round Matches. Upper Half—W. M. Kidd v. J. St. J. Pike; W. S. Matterson v. A. H. Nicholson; A. B. Kidd v. R. P. Rice; L. R. Plunkett v. T. A. Ireland; W. C. Cremin v. L. J. Smyth; R. J. White v. E. V. Lowry; (A) B. R. Plunkett v. J. Reid. Lower Half—(B) H. K. Murray v. A. J. Nicholson; P. A. Bell v. J. Sheehan; J. J. Coonan v. A. M. Hall-Dare; J. Lawson v. M. P. Dawson; F. Fottrell v. E. McGrath; J. Sedgwick v. J. C. Davidson; W. O'Brien v. F. D. Hurley. Byes into Second Round—R. N. Eaton v. Winner of (A); W. D. Crozier v. R. Donnelly; J. S. Jolley v. F. W. May; J. G. Dixon v. H. M. Cairnes; W. Fitzsimons v. H. P. Hughes; C. W. C. Robinson v. C. Murray; G. Watson v. J. D. MacCormack; R. J. Butler v. P. J. Gillespie; T. Early v. J. F. Donnelly; A. Craigie v. Winner of (B). First round to be completed on Saturday, 20th September, and one round each week thereafter.

CURRAGH. — Mixed Foursomes—Result:—Miss Brown and Commandant O'Neill, 70¼; M. Cardiff and Mrs. Church, 73½; P. O'Shaughnessy and Mrs. O'Shaughnessy, 73¼; W. E. Wallace and Miss Gee, 74. Ladies' Branch.—Elvery's prize. Postponed owing to weather to Tuesday, September 23rd.

BRAY.—McCormick Cup—Match play. Entries close at 2 p.m. on 20th. September 24th—Last competition for the Wednesday Cup. Ladies Section—September 15th—Mr. D. C. Machin's prize, 24 entries—Mrs. Blackwell (23), 80; Mrs. Hollinshead (26), 86. August Medal—Mrs. Blackwell (23), 89.

SUTTON.—Ladies' Section.—September 24th—Semi-open Foursomes, 18 holes, strokes. Draws 11.30 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. only.

LUCAN.—Ladies' Branch—September 24th, flag competition—prize presented by Mr. Dawson. Draws at 11, 2, and 3 o'clock.

HOWTH.—Semi-open foursomes postponed. Monthly medal, Saturday, 20th. Draws at 11.30 and 2.30 p.m. Mrs. McMahon's prize won by Mrs. Hanlon.

HERMITAGE.—Result competitions on Saturday last—Mixed foursomes—C. C. Robertson and Miss Purcell, 1 up; R. J. Feely and Mrs. Barr, all square. Men's singles, 9 holes—J. Cummins (8½), 38½.

GREYSTONES—Mrs. Oulton's prize. Result:—Miss M. Wilson (19), 86; Mrs. Preston (11), 88; Miss Deverell (25), 91. Saturday next—Final of men's medal. Qualified:—H. N. Walker, Captain C. H. West, Major G. W. Frazer, Rev. W. Jameson, Captain G. Morphy, R. Niblick, E. N. Dickinson, Dr. Dunlop, Major Hobbs, H. B. Figgis, S. N. Manning, Colonel G. B. Irvine, C.B.; G. Cullinan.

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Government 5 p.c. Nat[...] ter, and rallied ¼ to 90[...] market the price furthe[...] almost recovering from th[...] cline. Compensation sto[...]

In British Funds, Con[...] and Funding Loan ½ to [...] p.c., after being firmer [...] 102⅛. Irish Land 2¾ p.[...]

In Corporation, etc., i[...] repeated 68, while Rathm[...] p.c. was on offer at 67½ [...]

The feature in Banks [...] Bank of Ireland stock, w[...] 1 lower at 268, and later [...] exceptional lots were so[...] lower at 14⅛ for a small [...] Leinsters rose ⅛ to 6¾.

In Breweries and D[...] Ord. opened ¼ lower a[...] covered to 46⅛. The [...] Dublin Distillers Ord. im[...] for a few shares, and th[...] 70s. Dunville shares re[...]

Home Rails were irr[...] South-Eastern rose ¼ to [...] Ord. closed firm at 43, [...] closed 1¼ higher at 53½ [...] Guaranteed stock rose [...] Great Western Ord. we[...] without getting stock, a[...] 51, while the 4 p.c. Deb[...] Northern eased ¼ furthe[...] ¼ to 69 for an odd lot.

In Trams, Dublin U[...] more favour. The Ord. [...] opening at 6¾, and the [...] the 3½ p.c. "A" Debs. [...] vincial Ord. were calle[...] the Pref. 40s. to 60s., u[...]

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Royal Bk. (14½) *14[...]
Dub. Distillers (20/-) *20[...]
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IRISH BAN[K RATES]
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Exchange was dull [...] transactions were recor[...] tained 102⅛, Conversio[...] Bank A shares 5¼, Nat[...] field Linen 5 p.c. Pre[...] 10½d., Dunville 12⅞, Br[...] 5 p.c. 20s., Dunlop R[...] Bros. 8 p.c. 20s.; Mar[...] Stevenson and Orr P[...] Tomkins and Courage 5[...]

TRAF[FIC]
Cape Electric Tra[...] £30,223; expenses £25,9[...] Week ended September 1[...] ground Electric Railway[...] September 13—Common [...] £21,106. London and S[...] increase £191. Antofaga[...] Week to September 14, [...] and Pacific Railway—We[...] crease £20,000. Centra[...] crease £24,000. United [...] increase £7,970. Argentine N.E. [...] £2,700. Argentine N.E. [...] Indian Railway—increase [...] Ayres Western Railway—[...] Buenos Ayres G.S.—net [...] poldina Railway—decrease [...] —increase £82; do. Ea[...] £12; do. Northern—incre[...] increase £247
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COMPAN[Y]
THE LIVERPOOL [...] PAN[...]
NOTICE IS HERE[BY] [...] FER BOOKS of the D[...] Company will be CLOS[ED] [...] 30th day of September, [...]
The Old Hall, Liver[pool], 16th September, [...]

SELECTIONS FOR AYR MEETING TO-DAY

PAPER.	2.0 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.10 RACE.	3.40 RACE.	4.10 RACE.	4.45 RACE.	5.15 RACE.
Irish Times	Winterton.	Horace Groom.	Obliterate.	Satan Bey.	Parmenio.	The Prude's Fall.	Jacquot.
Sportsman	Winterton.	French Bean.	Obliterate.*	Nigel or Swastika.	Inkerman or Jazz Band.	The Prudes Fall.	Mocking Bird; if ab., Jacquot.
Man on the Spot	Winterton.	Buckram.	Obliterate.	Satan Bey.	Jazz Band.	Lady Clara.	Mocking Bird.
Westminster Gazette	Winterton.	French Bean.	Obliterate.	Satan Bey.	Inkerman.	Lady Clara.	Jacquot.
Daily News	Winterton.	Horace Groom.	Obliterate.	Satan Bey.	Parmenio.	Lady Clara.	Jacquot.
Daily Express	Sale Ticket or Cheap Talk.	Mystic Night or Buckram.	Obliterate.*	Satan Bey or J. Jarvis' best.	Inkerman or Parmenio.	Blandus or The Prudes Fall.	Mocking Bird.
Daily Mirror		Buckram.	Shippon.	Satan Bey.		Dunin.	
Daily Graphic	Doon Star.	Buckram.	Obliterate.	Saturnalia.	Parmenio.	Battles.	Jacquot.
Star	Sale Ticket.	Angle's Hope.	Obliterate.	Satan Bey.	Parmenio.	Thistle Glass.*	Blue Sol.
Evening News	Maidwell.	Mrs. Peach.	Obliterate.*	Satan Bey.	Parmenio.*	Thistle Glass.	Mocking Bird.
Evening Standard	Vesuvius.	Mr. Tinkle.	Obliterate.	Warmaiden.	Inkerman.	Cottrill's selected.	Mocking Bird.
Times	Somerford.	Horace Groom.	Obliterate.	Satan Bey.	Parmenio.	Thistle Glass.	—
Daily Mail							

FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

DUBLIN.

NATIONAL LOAN RECOVERY. BANK STOCK FLAT. RAILS IRREGULAR. TRAMS BETTER. DUNLOPS AND PARENT TYRES OFFERED.

There was again a lack of animation in dealing on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday, and irregular price movements continued. The features were the rally in National Loan and the pressure of exceptional selling orders in Bank of Ireland stock at a further decline. Government National Loan rallied smartly at the close, as the recent sharp fall influenced fresh support. British Funds were occasionally better. In the Bank market, outside the smart drop in Bank of Ireland stock, Munster and Leinsters were in request, and improved, but Royals remain dull in tone. Guinness shares were firm at easier prices. Home Railways on balance improved, but the market generally was irregularly disposed. Dublin United Tramway shares were firmer, especially the Ord. shares. Dunlop Rubber and Parent Tyre Deferred fetched lower prices. Alliance Gas shares were higher at one time, but later eased. Manufacturing shares scarcely moved, but the tone was dull.

Government 5 p.c. National Loan was better, and rallied ¼ to 90¼, while at the later market the price further rose to 91, thus almost recovering from the previous day's decline. Compensation stock repeated 90.

In British Funds, Consols rose 1/16 to 57 1/16 and Funding Loan ¼ to 90¼. War Loan 5 p.c., after being firmer at 102⅛, eased to 102 1/16. Irish Land 2¾ p.c. repeated 59⅜.

In Corporation, etc., issues, Dublin 5½ p.c. repeated 68, while Rathmines and Rathgar 3½ p.c. was on offer at 67½ x.d.

The feature in Banks was the weakness of Bank of Ireland stock, which opened a further 1 lower at 268, and later fell to 266, but only exceptional lots were sold. Royals were 1/16 lower at 14 7/16 for a small lot, but Munster and Leinsters rose ⅛ to 6¾.

In Breweries and Distilleries, Guinness Ord. opened ⅛ lower at 46⅞, but later recovered to 46 11/16. The Pref. fell 1/16 to 11⅛. Dublin Distillers Ord. improved 6d. to 20s. 6d. for a few shares, and the Pref. were firm at 70s. Dunville shares repeated 13.

Home Rails were irregular. Dublin and South-Eastern rose ¼ to 16¼. Great Southern Ord. closed firm at 43, 43½, but the Pref. closed 1¼ higher at 53½ to 55 nominally. The Guaranteed stock rose ½ to 56½. Midland Great Western Ord. were bid up ⅛ to 29⅛ without getting stock, and the Pref. rose 1 to 51, while the 4 p.c. Debs. fell ½ to 66. Great Northern eased ¼ further to 57, and the Debs. ½ to 69 for an odd lot.

In Trams, Dublin United issues were in more favour. The Ord. rose ⅛ to 6⅜, after opening at 6⅝, and the Pref. 1/16 to 9⅜, while the 3½ p.c. "A" Debs. repeated 68⅜. Provincial Ord. were called 2s. to 2s. 6d. and the Pref. 40s. to 60s., unofficially.

Dunlop Rubber Ord. fell 2d. to 8s. 1½d., 8s. 1d., and Parent Tyre Deferred 6d. to 59s. 6d., while the Ord. repeated 20s.

Alliance Gas opened 1/16 better at 6 13/16, but later some shares were picked up at 6 11/16.

In Bakery shares, Johnston Ord. were unaltered at 57s. 7½d.

Among Manufacturing shares, Bradford Dyers eased 1½d. to 71s. 10½d. and Coats Ord. 1½d. to 61s. 6d., after being 61s. 7½d. The "B" Pref. repeated 23s. 6d. Imperial Tobacco shares eased 1½d. to 77s. 7½d. Courtaulds Pref. rose 3d. to 18s. 4½d. for a small lot. Vickers fell 1½d. to 8s. 6d. Brunner Mond realised 38s. 3d.

In Trading, etc., E. and J. Burke Ord. fell 6d. to 75s. Shell Transports realised 77s. 6d. and East Indian and Ceylon Tea 60s.

BUSINESS DONE AT ALL SESSIONS.
Transactions for cash marked "c."

National Ln. (90) 90¼ 1	G.S.W. Ord. (42½) 43b. 43½a.
Compensation Stk. (90) 90	Do. Pref. (53) 53½b 55a
Consols ......(57) *57 1/16	Do. Guar. ....(56) 56½
5 p.c. War Loan (102⅛) 102⅛ 1/16	M.G.W. Ord (79¼) 79⅛b
Do. Deed ...(102) 102⅛	Dd. 4 p.c. Pref. (50) 51
Funding Loan (90) 90	Do. 4½ Deb. (66½) 66
War Bonds, 1928 105⅛	Dub. Tram ..(6⅛) 6⅜ ⅜
Dublin Stock (68) 68c.	Do. Pref. ......(9⅜) 9⅜
Rathmines Stock ...67½a.	Do. A Deb. (68⅜) 68⅜
Bank of Ireland (269) 268c. *6c.	Parent Ord. ....(20/-) 20/-
Mun. & Lein. ......(6⅝) 6¾	Do. Def. ......(40/-) 39/6
Royal Bk. ...(14½) *14 7/16	Dunlops ...(8/3) 8/1½ /1
Dub. Distillers (20/-) *20/6	Alliance Gas (6¾) 6 11/16 ¾
Do. Pref. ...(70/-) 70/-	Johnston Ord. (57/7½) 57/7½
Dunville ....(13) 13	Brad Dyers (72/-) 71/10½
Guinness (46½) 46⅞ 11/16	Coats (61/7½) 61/7½ /6
Do. Pref. ...(11¼) 11⅛	Do. B. Pref. (23/6) 23/6
D.S.E. Ord. ...(16) 16¼	Courtaulds Pref. *18/4½
G.N. Ord. .....(57¼) 57	Brunner Mond 38/3
Do. Deb. ....(69½) *69	Imp. Tobacco (77/9) 77/7½
	Vickers ....(8/7½) 8/6
	Burke Ord. ...(75/6) 75/-
	East Indian Tea 60/-
	Shells .....(78/3) 77/6

* Odd lot; b bid, a asked.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

Discount .... 5 p.c. 5th July, 1923.
Deposit .... 2 p.c. 5th July, 1923.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Mining contango day	Sept. 22	Oct. 6
General contango day	Sept. 23	Oct. 7
Ticket day	Sept. 24	Oct. 8
Account day	Sept. 25	Oct. 9

BELFAST.

Exchange was dull yesterday, and few transactions were recorded. War Loan maintained 102⅛, Conversion Loan 77⅜, Northern Bank A shares 5¼, National Bank 20; Brookfield Linen 5 p.c. Pref. 3⅞, Coats Ord. 61s. 10½d., Dunville 12⅞, British American Tobacco 5 p.c. 20s., Dunlop Rubber 8s. 4½d., Lever Bros. 8 p.c. 20s.; Martin Estates 6⅝, McCaw, Stevenson and Orr Pref. 10s. 6d., White, Tomkins and Courage 5 p.c. Pref. 17s. 3d.

TRAFFICS.

Cape Electric Tramways—August revenue £30,225; expenses £23,957. Salvador Railway—Week ended September 13, decrease £13. Underground Electric Railways of London—Week to September 13—Common Fund Companies—increase £21,106. London and Suburban Traction Group—increase £191. Antofagasta and Bolivia Railway—Week to September 14, increase £7,860. B.A. and Pacific Railway—Week to September 13, increase £20,000. Central Argentine Railway—increase £24,000. United Railways of Havana—increase £7,970. Entre Rios Railways—increase £2,700. Argentine N.E. Railway, £12,000. East Indian Railway—increase Rs.853,000. Buenos Ayres Western Railway—net increase £16,000. Buenos Ayres G.S.—net increase £6,000. Leopoldina Railway—decrease £877. Central Uruguay—increase £82; do. Eastern Extension—decrease £12; do. Northern—increase £214; do. Western—increase £247.

L.M.S. Railway—Week to September 14, £1,636,000, increase £47,000. Great Western Railway, £584,000, increase £29,000. L.N.E. Railway—Week to September 13, £1,221,000, increase, £12,000. Southern Railway, £523,800, increase £9,100.

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AUTHORISED CAPITAL	£10,000,000
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL	£8,916,660
PAID-UP CAPITAL	£2,229,165
RESERVE FUND	£2,893,335
UNCALLED CAPITAL	£6,687,495
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COMPANY NOTICES.

THE LIVERPOOL WAREHOUSING COMPANY, LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Debenture Stock of the above Company will be CLOSED from the 22nd to the 30th day of September, inclusive.

A. SLEE, Secretary.

The Old Hall, Liverpool.
16th September, 1924.

LONDON STOCKS IRREGULAR.

A BETTER CLOSE.

The Stock markets yesterday were inclined to be irregular, but later a slightly firmer tone set in, and the close was steady. British Funds were slightly better with the improvement in the exchange, while in Foreign Government securities French Loans were marked higher for the same reason. In Gilt-edged securities, British Funds were the turn harder. Consols showed an increase of ⅛ on the day to 57½. Funding and Victory Bonds were unchanged. The 3½ p.c. Conversion Loan rose ⅛ to 77⅜, and the 4½ p.c. was unchanged. Indias were steady and without change, while Local Loans were firm at 66¼.

FOREIGN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES were slightly better. German Bonds, after an indifferent opening, hardened, and in the case of the 4 p.c. a slight increase was shown, while the 3 p.c. repeated 2½. French Loans reflected the improvement in the exchange rate, and the Fives at the close showed an increase of ¼ on the day at 24¾, while the 4 p.c. also gained ¼ to 18¾ x.d. Argentines were firm, but without change. Japanese were inclined to dulness, and were unchanged at the close. Brazilians were firm, but unaltered on the day. Mexicans were steady at previous levels. Portuguese 3 p.c. were held at 26, but San Paulo 8 p.c. showed a rise of ½ to 104½.

HOME RAILS were dull, and where any change was marked a fall was recorded. Great Westerns lost ⅛ to 107, while Midlands were aslo ⅛ lower on the dy at 98. N.E. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord. remained at 80, but the Defd. Ord. dropped ⅛ to 28⅛. Metropolitans, after their sharp fall of the previous day, were held, the Ord. repeating 76, and the Districts were also unaltered at 51. Southern Pref. Ord. at 83 and the Defd. Ord. at 40½ were both without change, as were the "A" and "B" shares. Undergrounds were maintained, except in the case of the Ord., which lost ⅛ to 2⅜.

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS were irregular, and lower on balance. Bahia Blanca Guar. put on ½ to 79 x.d., and amongst Buenos Ayres issues, the Westerns rose ½ to 79½. "Canpacs" were steady at 165, but Grand Trunks Pacific 4 p.c. Debs. dropped a point and a half to 60½ x.d. Other Grand Trunks were maintained at previous levels. Central Argentine repeated 75, but Central Uruguay dropped a point to 63. Entre Rios Ord. were held at 22, while the 6 p.c. Cum. Pref. shed a further ½ to 82. Mexicans were quiet and unchanged.

OIL SHARES WEAKER.

V.O.C. HOLDINGS A FIRM SPOT.

Business in the Oil Share market yesterday was again on an extremely small scale, interest being confined to a few specialities. The latest cut in petrol prices continued to exercise a restricting influence upon transactions, business on behalf of the general public being quite unimportant, while professionals are paying little attention to the market at the moment. Bright spots were few and far between, but Venezuelans figure prominently in this respect. There was no slackening in the demand for V.O.C. Holdings, these shares, in fact, commanding the bulk of attention. At the close they showed an improvement of 1/32, with the Prefs. up a like amount to 2 11/32. British Controlled had a none too bright appearance at the commencement of business, the Common Shares starting easier at 9s. 9d. and the Pref. at 10s. 9d., but a demand arose later which took the Common up to 10s. 4½d., while they left off at 10s. 3d., showing a gain of 4½d., and the Pref. also rose 4½d. to 11s. 3d. The recognised leaders provided nothing of special interest. Shells met with very little attention, and remained in the neighbourhood of 3 11/16 throughout the day, while Royal Dutch, which opened at 28¼, improved later to 28½, which left them ⅛ up on balance. Less interest was displayed in the Mexican Eagle issues, and in the absence of support the Ord. and the 8 p.c. Part Pref. receded 3d. to 16s. 9d. and 16s. respectively, while the 7 p.c. First Prefs. eased to 15s. Anglo-Persians remained on the dull side, further weakening to 2 11/32, a fall of 1/32, and the 8 p.c. Prefs. closed easier at 22s. 9d. Burmahs and Anglo-Americans lost 1/32 at 4⅞ and 3 7/16 respectively. A slightly easier tendency characterised Rumanians, although generally business was small. Trinidad issues commanded very little attention. Apex further declined 1/32 to 2 7/32, but Leaseholds were unchanged at 1⅝, and General Petroleum of Trinidad and the Trinidad Friendships also left off without alteration. Closing prices:—

M.U. September 9.				
⅛	Agwi Petroleum	11/32	11/32	
3 11/32	Anglo-American	3 13/32	3 11/32	−1/32
2 13/32	Anglo-Ecuadorian	2 13/32	2 13/32	
1	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	⅞	1 1/32	
23/0	Anglo-Persian 8 p.c.	22/6	23/0	−0/3
22/9	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref.	22/4½	22/10½	
2 13/32	Do. Ord., issued 3½ p.c.	2 11/32	2 13/32	−1/32
91 1/16	Do. 5 p.c. Deb.	91	93	
2 7/32	Apex Trinidad	2 5/32	2 7/32	−1/32
2 3/16	Attock	2 1/16	2 3/16	
¾	Brit. Borneo Pet. (10/-)	¾	13/16	
9/0	British Burmah (8/-)	8/3	9/3	
10/0	British Controlled	10/1½	10/4½	+0/4½
11/0	Do. Pref.	11/1½	11/4½	+0/4½
4 15/16	Burmah	4 13/16	4 15/16	−1/32
26/0	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	25/9	26/3	
3/0	Caltex	2/7½	2/10½	
8/6	Dacia Romano	8/6	9/6	
4⅝	Eagle Transport	4¾	5	
99¾	Do. 7 p.c. Notes	99¼	100¼	
100¼	Do. Bearer	100¼	101¼	
3/9	General Pet. Trinidad A.	3/9	4/3	
15/3	Kern River (10/-)	15/0	15/6	−0/6
10 7/16	Lobitos	10⅛	10⅜	−1/16
16/6	Mexican Eagle	16/6	17/0	−0/3
15/9	Do. Pref.	15/6	16/6	−0/3
15/3	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	14/9	15/3	−0/1½
⅜	North Caucasian (10/-)	11/32	13/32	
2/6	Peru Syndicate	0/9	1/9	−0/3
22/4½	Phœnix	22/4½	22/10½	−0/1½
—	Rumanian Consolidated	11/9	12/3	
29	Royal Dutch	28⅜	28⅝	+⅛
3 11/16	Shell Transport	3 9/16	3⅞	
9 13/32	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10)	9⅞	10⅛	
25/0	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	24/7½	25/1½	
2/9	Spies (10/-)	2/3	2/9	−0/1½
8/3	Steaua Romana	8/3	8/9	−0/4½
8/0	Tankers Pref.	7/7½	8/1½	
25/32	Trinidad Central	11/16	¾	
1 19/32	Trinidad Lease	1 19/32	1 21/32	
5/7½	United Brit. Trinidad	5/0	5/6	
⅜	Ural Caspian	11/32	13/32	
3/10½	Uroz Oil	3/1½	3/7½	−0/1½
2 5/16	V.O.C. Holdings	2⅜	2 13/32	+1/32
2 5/16	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	2½	2 9/16	+1/32

*Ex div. †Ex rights ‡Cum. div.

BUSINESS DONE:

Agwi Corp. "A"—8/3. **Anglo-Ecuadorian**—46/10½, 7/6, 8/1½, 5¼d. **Anglo-Persian Ord.**—50/-, 1/6½, 3d. **British Controlled Common**—9/11¼, 10/2¼, 2¼d.; **do. Pref.**—11/-, 10/9, 11/1½, 11/0¾, 3d. **Burmah**—96/3, 8/1½, 7/6. **Caltex**—2/11¼, 10½d., 7½d., 9¾d. **Kern River**—15/4½, 1½d., 6d., 3d. **Lobitos**—10 9-64, ¼, 7/32, 5/32, 3/16. **Mexican Eagle Ord.**—17/-, 1½d., 16/10½, 3d. **do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref.**—14/10½, 15/-. **Oil Develop. Trust**—6⅝, 6½. **Phœnix Oil**—22/10½, 7½d., 6d., 9d. **Royal Dutch**—28 7/16, ½, ⅜, 9/16, 7/16, 5/16. **Shell**—77/6, 6/3, 7/2½, 6/10½, *5/7½, 7/-, 6/6¾. **Trinidad Leaseholds**—33/1½, 2/9. **V.O.C. Holdings**—52/6, 1/10½, 2/-, 2¼d., 3/1½, 2/10½, 3/-, 1½d., 6¼d., 1/6¾, 2/9¾, 9d.
(*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

TEA SHARE MARKET.

Market much quieter, and many prices marked lower. For the moment the "snap" has gone out of the dealings:—

Amal. Estates	37⅛	+ 1/16	Doolooguram	55/0	− 0/3
Anglo-Ceylon	52/9	+ 0/9	Doom Dooma	88/0	− 0/9
Assam Co.	37/4½	+ 0/1½	E.I. & Ceylon	59/10½	+ 0/1½
Assam Cons.	20/1½	+ 0/1½	E. Assam	62/6	− 2/3
Assam Front'r	5⅜		East Produce	76/3	+ 1/3
Assam Dooars	43¾	− ⅛	Empire	73/1½	+ /4½
Asso.T.E.Cy'ln	50/0		Galaha Ceylon	40/6	+ 0/6
Attaree Khat	47/0	− 1/3	Imperial	54/3	− 0/3
Balijan	53/9		Imperial Ceylon	36/6	
Bargang	54/9		Jetinga Valley	56/9	+ 1/0
Borelli	83/4½		Jhanzie	85/1½	+ 1/1½
Borhella	16⅜		Jokai	82/0	− 0/9
Bowlana	26/6		Jorehaut	83/0	+ 1/0
Brahmapootra	29⅛	− ⅛	Longai Valley	48/9	− 0/6
British Assam	101/6		Lungla	39/4½	
Brit. Indian	78/0		Lunuva	43/9	+ 0/6
Budla Beta	58	+ 1½	Majuli	85/9	+ 0/3
Cachar & Dooars	87/7½	+ 0/1½	Moabund	53/9	
Ceylon Plant.	92/7½	− 0/10½	Nedeem	75/0	
Ceylon Prop.	54/3	− 0/3	NewSylhet	95/0	− 5/0
Chargola	37/0		Pandan	21/1½	+ /1½
Chubwa	92/6	+ 1/0	Peacock & Nil.	4/1½	+ /1½
Chulsa	61/0		Poonmudi	4/3	− 0/1½
Con. Tea & L.	58¾	− ⅛	Rosehaugh Cey.	35/0	+ 0/3
Darjeeling	34/6	+ 0/6	SephinjuriBheel	14/10½	+ 0/3
Ditto Cons.	64/0		Singlo	77/6	+ 0/3
Dejoo	43/0	− 1/0	Tea Corpn.	28/9	
Deundi	29/0	+ 0/1½	Travancore	99/1½	+ /10½
Dimbula Valley	61/8	− 0/9	U. Planters, C.	61/6	
Dooars	87/0	− 1/0			

BUSINESS DONE:

Amalgamated Estates—37⅛, ¼, 7, ⅛, 11/16, ⅜, 3/16, ¼. Anglo-Ceylon—53/6, 2/6, 2/-. Assam Company—37/9, 7½d., 4½d., 1½d., 6d., 9d., 7½d. Assam Cons.—20/-, 3d., 19/9, 20/4½, 6d., 19/10½, 20/4½. Assam Dooars—43½, 4, 3½, 4. Attaree Khat—47/-. Bargang—55/-, 4/6. Brahmapootra—29⅛. Budla Beta—57½, 8½, ⅛. Cachar and Dooars—88/3, 7/6, 7/-. Ceylon Plant—92/9, 6d. Ceylon Prop.—54/3, 6d., 4/-. Chargola—37/-. Chubwa—92/6, 9d., 3/6, 3d., 1/9, 3/-, 1/6, 2/6, 2/-, 9d. Cons. Tea and Lands—59, 8⅜, ½, ⅜, ⅝. Darjeeling—34/10½, 7½d., 1½d. Dejoo—43/-, 6d., 2/6. Deundi—28/9, 9/6, 9/-, 4½d., 8/4½, 9/3. Dimbula Valley—61/-, 3d., 2/6. Dooars—86/9, 7/-, 5/6, 7/6. Doolooguram—55/-. Doom Dooma—88/-, 7/6, 8/9, 6d., 7/3, 8/9, 6d. East India and Ceylon—60/-, 6d., 59/4½, 60/3, 59/6, 9d. Eastern Assam—62/6. Eastern Produce—75/6, 6/9, 3d., 10½d., 7/-, 6/3. Empire—74/7½, 5/6, 9d., 5/-, 3d. Galaha Ceylon—40/3, 6d., 10½d., 9d., 40/-, 39/9, 41/3. Imperial—54/6, 5/-, 4/-, 3/6, 4/3. Jetinga Valley—57/-, 6/6, 9d., 6/-, 6d., 7/6. Jhanzie—84/9, 1½d., 5/-, 6/-, 5/3, 4/3, 1½d., 5/4½, 6/-. Jokai—83/6, 3/-, 2/1½, 2/-. Jorehaut—83/6, 3/6, 3/-. Longai Valley—49/3.

8/3, 9/-, 8/9. Lunuva—43/3, 4½d., 6d., 4/-, 3/6, 4/6, 3d., 4/-. Majuli—86/3, 5/3. New Sylhet—95/-. Pandan—21/3, 6d., 20/10½, 9d., 1/-, 3d., 1½d., 20/9. Peacock and Nilambe—4/1½, 4/-, 3d., 3/11½, 4/2, 1½d. Poonmudi—4/3½, 4d., 3d., 2d., 3½d. Rosehaugh Ceylon—35/-. Sephinjuri Bheel—15/-, 14/10½, 9d., 9d. Singlo—77/6. Travancore—98/3, 9/-, 6d., 100/-, 99/3, 6d., 8/6, 9/9, 3d., 8/-, 9/-, 3d., 9d., 100/-.

CLOSING PRICES.

The quotations in the following tables were made up at an earlier hour than, and may, therefore, vary to some extent from, those given in our comments:—

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols	57⅛-57¼ + ⅛	4½% Conv. Ln.	97⅞-98⅛
War Ln. 3½%..95⅛-96⅛		5½ Treas. Bds.	102-103⅛
do. 4½%...	97 98	Irish Lnd. 2¾%	58-60
do. 5%...	101⅞-102⅛	India 3%...	54½-55½
do. 4% (Tax Free)	99⅞-100⅛*	do. 3½%...	64½-65½
Fund'g L'n...	90-90½	do. 5½%...	100⅛-101⅛
Victory Bds...	92-92⅛	do. 7%...	108-110
3½% Conv. Ln.	77⅛-78⅛ + ⅛	Local Lns...	66-67*
		Sudan 5½%...	107-109

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Alberta 4½ 1943..	94-95	Q'sland 4, 1940-50	84-86*
Aust. Com. 5½%	100-102	do. 4½, 1920-5	98-100*
do. 6%	104-106	do. 6% 1930-40	103-105
Brit. Col. 4½ 1941	92-94*	S. Africa 4% Cns	87-89
Canada 4%	89-91*	do. 6%	105-107
do. 4½ 1920-5	101-102	S.A'strl'nd. '40-60	85-87
Cape 3½ Cons.	79-81	do. 5½%	99-101*
Ceylon 6%	108-110	do. 6½%	105-107
Natal 3½ '34	80-82	do. 5% 1932-42	99-101*
N.S.W. 4½ '22-7	98-100	Victoria 4, '40-60	86-88*
do. 5½ 1922-7	100-102	do. 6½% 1923-8	100-2
do. 5½% 1922-32	101-103	W.Aus. 4% '42-62	85-87
do. 6½% 1930-40	105-107	do. 5½% 1930-40	101-103
N. Zeal'd 4, '29.	95-97	do. 5% 1935-45	100-2
Nigeria 6%...	114-116*	do. 6% 1930-40	103-5

BANKS.

Anglo S. Amer	7⅛-7⅜	Hong Kong	128-132 + 1½
Australasia	13⅛-13⅝†	Lloyds	38-9-39/9*
Bank N.S.W.	39½-40½	Midland	8⅛-8⅜
Do. N. Z.	2⅝-3	Nat. Dis. B.	8⅛-9
Barclays A	7⅛-8⅛	Nat Prov(£4)	10⅛-10⅜
Brit. F. Trade	1⅝-⅞	Royal of Can	48-50
Do. Overseas	4⅝-5⅛	Stand. S.A.	10⅛-11⅛
Can. of Com.	42-43	Un. Australia	14⅛-15⅛ + ⅛
Char. of India	19⅛-20*	Westminster	17⅛-17⅜ + ⅛

FOREIGN BONDS.

M.U. Sept. 9.				
100	Argentine 1886	99	101	
75¼	Do. 4 p.c. Rescessions	74	76	
89	Do. 5 p.c., 1909	90	92*	
42½	Brazil 4 p.c., 1889	44	46	
79	Do. Funding, 1908	79	81	
71	Do. 5 p.c., 1914	71	73	
91⅜	Chinese 5 p.c., 1896	90	92	
77	Do. 4½ p.c., 1898	75	77*	
68	Do. 5 p.c., 1912	67	69	
102	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	101	103	
75	Egyptian Unified	74½	75½	
24½	French Loan	24¾	25¾	+ ¼
18⅜	Do. 4 p.c.	18¾	19¼*	+ ¼
38/0	German 3 p.c.	2	2¾	
20½	Italian Rentes	19	21	
90¾	Japan 4 p.c., 1905	89	93	
79	Do. New 5 p.c. 1907	76	78*	
90⅛	Do. 6 p.c., 1924	90	91	
46	Mexican 5 p.c., '99	40	45	
54	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas.	45	55	
3½	Peruvian Corporation	3⅛	3⅝	
32½	Do. Pref.	31	32	
96½	Do. Deb.	96	98	
27½	Portuguese 3 p.c.	25	27	
102¾	San Paulo 8 p.c.	103	106	+ ½
—	Spanish 4 p.c.	63	67	
58½	Uruguay 3½ p.c.	58	59	

BRITISH RAILS.

109	Great Western	106½	107½	− ⅛
100	Ldn., Mid. & Scot. Ord.	97¾	98½	− ⅛
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	79	81	
—	Do. 4½ p.c. Red. Pref.	93	95	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	97	98	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref., 1923	79	81	
81	Ldn. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	79½	80½	
30	Do. Def. Ord.	28¾	28¾	− ⅛
—	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	79	81	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	78	80	
76¼	Metropolitan	75½	76½	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	97	100*	
51¼	Do. District	50½	51½	
83½	Southern Pref. Ord.	82½	83½	
42½	Do. Def. Ord.	40	41	
39½	Do. "A"	38	39	
9½	Do. "B"	9	10	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	98	100	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pf. 1924	97	100	
2¼	Underground Electric	2⅛	2⅜	− ⅛
95¼	Do. Income Bonds	95	97	
104	Do. 6 p.c. Debs.	103	105	

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

87	Antofagasta	86½	88½	
—	Argentine G.W. Ord.	86	88	
—	Bahia Blanca	78	80*	+ ½
—	Brazil Railway Common	⅛	⅜	
88¼	Buenos Ayres Gt. S.	87½	89½	
84½	Buenos Ayres and Pacific	84	86	
78½	Buenos Ayres and W.	78½	80½	+ ½
164	Canadian Pacific	164	166	
74¼	Central Argentine	74	76	
60	Central Uruguay	62	64	−1
—	Entre Rios	21	23	
—	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	81	83	− ½
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	81	83	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	81	83	
—	Grand Trunk Pac. Deb.	59	62*	−1½
23½	Leopoldina	25½	27½	
6	Mexican Rails	5½	6½	
22½	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	21	23	
10	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	9	11	
—	Mexican Nat. 1st Pref.	3½	4½	
1⅜	Mexican Nat. 2nd Pref.	1	2	
150	San Paulo Ord.	150	153	
86	United Havana	86	88	

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	116	118	−1
—	Baltimore	68	70	
—	Chesapeake	95	97	
—	Chicago, Milwaukee	14	15	− ½
32	Erie	30	32	
—	Do. 1st Pref.	42	44	
—	New York, Ontario	24	26	+1
74	Southern Common	73	75	−1
—	Do. Pref.	83	85	
—	Southern Pacific	105	107	
155	Union Pacific	154	156	−1

TELEGRAPHS.

23¾	Anglo-American Def.	23¼	24
1 11/16	Marconi Wireless Ord.	1 9/16	1 11/16
1⅛	Do. Pref.	1⅛	1¼
—	Do. Debs.	103½	105½
1 1/32	Do. Marine	1	1⅛
6/9	Do. Canada	6/3	6/6
—	Oriental Telephone	1⅛	2
—	Radio Corporation	5	5½
—	Do. Pref. (850)	9½	10

MISCELLANEOUS.

—	Aboukir Land	1⅜	1½	
26/3	Aerated Bread	1⅛	1⅜	
32/0	African and East. Trade	30/9	32/9	−0/3
23	Alianza	22⅛	23⅛	
16/3	Allsopp £1 Shares	⅜	½	
88	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	88	91	
9/4½	Amalgamated Cotton	9/6	10/6	
3⅜	Anglo-Argentine 1st Pref.	3⅛	3⅜	
66/0	Anglo-Chilian Nitrate	64/0	66/0	
—	Argentine Northern Land	⅝	¾	
24/0	Do. Southern Land	⅞	1⅛	
14/6	Armstrong (W. G.)	12/6	13/9	−0/4½
16/3	Associated Cement	16/0	17/0	
15/6	Do. Pref.	15/3	16/3	
5⅛	Assd. Newspapers Def.	4⅞	5⅛	− ⅛
—	Bass, Ratcliff 5 p.c. Pref.	88	91	
42/0	Do. Ord.	1⅛	1¼	
54/9	Bleachers	2¼	2⅜	
41/9	Borax Con. Def.	2⅛	2¼	
44/6	Bovril Def.	2⅛	2¼	
58½	Brazilian Traction	58⅛	58⅝	− ½
26/9	British Portland Cement	2⅜	27/6	−0/6
10/9	B.S.A.	10/0	10/6	−1/0
9/6	British Cellulose Ord.	9/0	9/6	−0/3
20/3	British Oil and Cake	1	1⅛	+ ⅛
10/0	B.N.B. Land	⅞	1⅛	
84	Brit. Col. Electric Rail.	83	86	
—	Do. 4½ p.c. Debs.	90	93	
—	British Glass	1/10½	2/1½	+0/2
38/0	Brunner Mond	37/3	38/3	
48/6	Bryant and May	2⅛	2⅜	
70/0	Bradford Dyers	3½	3⅝	
109/0	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	106/0	108/0*	−0/6
32/9	Calico Printers	1⅝	1¾	
9/3	Cammell Laird	⅜	½	
12/3	Cargo Fleet	11/0	12/0	
60/9	Coats	3	3⅛*	
52/3	Courtaulds	2⅝	2⅞	− ⅛
—	Court Line	29/0	29/6	+0/4½
—	Cunard Ord.	18/6	19/6	+0/6
—	Daily Mail Deb.	106½	107½	
5⅛	Daily Mirror Ord.	4⅞	5⅛	− ⅛
—	De la Rue Deb.	32½	33½	
8/7½	Dunlop Rubber	8/0	9/0	
108	Do. Deb.	106	110	
—	Do. Amer Tire Deb.	104	106	
11/9	Dorman Long	9/6	10/6	−0/6
—	Elder Dempster 6 p.c. Pf.	19/0	20/0	
—	English Electric	16/9	18/3	
56/3	English Sewing Cotton	2⅝	2⅞	
49/9	Fine Spinners	2⅛	2⅜	
—	Finlay (James)	3⅛	3⅜	
22/9	Forestal Land	1⅛	1¼	
—	Furness Withy	1⅛	1¼	
17/9	General Electric Ord.	17/0	18/6	
—	Do. Debs.	102	105*	
463	Guinness	465	475*†	
—	Do. Pref.	115	120*	
—	Gramophone Ord.	1⅛	1¼	
40/6	Harrods	1⅞	2⅛*	
5⅜	Hudson's Bay Ord.	5¼	5⅜	
78/3	Imperial Tobacco Ord.	77/0	78/6	−0/3
13/9	John Brown	12/6	13/9	−0/7½
9/0	Do. (15/- paid)	7/6	8/9	−0/4½
7¾	Lautaro Nitrate	7½	8⅛	
20/3	Lever 7 p.c. Pref.	19/9	20/9	
—	Lever 7 p.c. Debs.	106	108	
—	Lever 5 p.c. Debs.	99	101	+ ½
27/0	Lipton	1⅛	1¼	
4⅛	Lyons (J.)	4⅛	4⅜	
38/6	Lagunas Nitrate	35/9	36/9	
—	Linen Thread Ord.	2	2⅛	+ 1/16
27/0	Lister Ord.	1⅛	1¼	
73/0	Liverpool Nitrate	72/6	75/0	
65/0	London Nitrate	64/6	65/6	
—	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	30/6	30/9	
5/4½	Maypole Def.	4/9	5/3	
—	Mond Nickel Pref.	1⅛	1¼	
18	Mexican Trams	17	20	
—	Do. Bonds	64	68	
—	Do. L. and P. Bonds	62	66	+1½
17/3	Niger Pref.	⅝	¾	
22/9	Nobel Ord.	22/0	23/0	
21/0	Do. Pref.	20/6	21/6	
—	Do. Def.	8/0	9/0	
2	Parent Tyre Def.	1⅞	2⅛	
20/6	Do. Ord.	1⅛	1¼	
21/0	Pease and Partners	19/6	20/6	
—	P. and O. Def.	300	310	+5
11/0	Pekin Syndicate	⅛	¼	
—	Peter Walker Ord.	17/0	19/0	
24/3	Platt Bros. Ord.	1⅛	1¼	
—	Royal Mail Ord.	95	96	+1
27/0	Rio Negro Lands	1⅛	1¼	
27/0	Rolls Royce	1⅛	1¼	
34/3	Rosario Nitrate	34/0	35/0	
24/6	Salt Union	1⅛	1¼	+ ⅛
52/6	South Durham Steel	2⅜	2⅝	− 1/16
97	San Paulo Tram Deb.	96	100	
34/6	South African Breweries	1⅜	1⅞	
—	Shawinigan Water Debs.	111	116	
1⅜	Santa Rita Nitrate	38/0	38/0	
69/0	Santiago Nitrate	68/0	70/0	
—	Selfridge 6 p.c. Pref.	1⅛	1¼	
20/3	Siemens	1⅛	1¼	
—	Smithfield Arg. Meat	1⅛	1¼	
1⅛	Spratt's Patent	2	2⅛	
3⅜	Sunday Pictorial Ord.	64/7½	64/7½	+0/7½
—	Tilling Ord.	2⅛	2⅜	
—	Do. 5½ p.c. Cum. Pref.	4⅛	4⅜	
15/3	Tarapaca Nitrate	15/0	16/0	
—	Union Cold Storage Pref.	1	1⅛	
—	United Alkali	1⅛	1⅜	
5/9	United Steel	4/9	6/9	
8/9	Vickers Ord.	8/0	9/0	
1⅜	Van Den Berghs	1⅛	1⅜	
—	Do. Pref.	4⅜	5⅜*	
18/0	Walker (John) Pref.	20/6	21/6	
21/0	Wallpaper Def.	1	1⅛	
244	Watney Combe Def.	244	249	
—	Weardale Iron O.P.O.	1⅛	1¼	

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LONDON MINING MARKET STEADY.

"KAFFIRS" IN BETTER DEMAND.

No material change in conditions in the Stock Exchange was witnessed yesterday. There was the usual trickle of investment business and some speculative activity, but the latter was of small proportions, and confined mainly to specialities. In the Mining market, Kaffirs were inclined to harden, but dealings were far from brisk, and it would seem that the big operators are not inclined to give a lead at the moment. Until midday hardly a quotable change could be recorded, and even those counters which have been more or less prominent of late, such as East Rand, Consolidated Main Reef, Central West, Durban Deep, and Robinson Deep B, were content to maintain former levels. Van Ryn continued in good request and further appreciated, while later in the day the receipt of favourable Johannesburg advices put the whole list better. Crown Mines, Government Mines, Modder Deep, Meyer and Charlton, Robinson Deep B and many others went ahead, and there was renewed inquiry for West Springs. The tone of the market generally was quite firm at the close.

In the Rhodesian department Cam and Motor again provided the *piece de resistance*. On balance the quotation was unaltered. Sherwood Starr came into demand and moved up, but Globes, Lonely, and one or two others were dullish. Tanganyika and Zambesia Exploring held their ground. The price of tin rallied slightly to £232 15s. per ton, and the share market had a steadier appearance. West Africans were almost neglected, and the same may be said of Australians, but among Coppers, Rio Tinto and Pilbara were better. Elsewhere, Mexico Mines showed improvement, and in the Canadian section Kirkland Lake were an active centre. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

M.U. Sept. 8.		
1 3/16	Anglo-Amer. Corp.	1⅛-1¼
15/0	Anglo-French	14/9-15/3
3⅛	Brakpan	3⅛-3¼
10⅛	Cent. Min'g (£8)	11-11⅛
14/0	Central W'st(5/-)	13/3-13/9 + 1½
3⅛	City Deep	3⅛-3⅜ + ⅛
⅞	Con. Goldfields	⅞-1
11/6	Cons. Main Reef	11/6-12/0
14/6	Cons. Selec. 10/	14/3-14/9
2⅜	Crown Mines(10/)	2⅜-2⅝ + ⅛
21/3	Durban Deep	21/0-22/0 + 0/3
12/10½	E. Rand Prop.	12/7½-/10½
3⅛	Geduld	3⅛-3¼
11/3	Gen. Mining	11/6-12/0
9/9	G. M. Investment	9/6-10/0
6 1/16	Government Mines	6⅛-6⅜ + ⅛
17/0	H. E. Prop	11/6-12/0 − 0/3
36/0	Johan'burg I'vst	35/6-37/0
5/0	Kleinfontein	4/9-5/3
16/9	Knight's	16/3-16/9
21/3	Langlaagte Estate	20/9-21/3 + 0/3
3⅛	Meyer & Charlton	3⅛-3⅜ + 1/16
4⅛	M'derfontein (10/)	3⅞-4⅛
1⅛	Modder B (5/)	1⅛-1¼
2⅛	Modder Deep (5/)	2⅛-2⅜ + 1/16
1⅛	Modder East	1⅛-1¼
1⅛	New State Areas	1⅛-1¼
7/6	Nigel	7/0-8/0
9/3	Nourse Mines	9/0-9/6 + 0/3
2⅜	Rand Mines (5/)	2⅜-2⅝
19/0	Randfontein	18/6-19/0 − 0/3
1⅛	Rob'son D A (1/)	1⅛-1¼
1⅛	Robinson Dp. B.	36/0-36/6 + 0/3
11/9	Rose Deep	11/9-12/3 + 0/3
11/6	Sable (5/-)	11/3-11/6 − /1½
⅜	S.A. Gold Trust	⅜-⅝
2⅛	Springs Mines	2⅛-2⅜
11/6	Sub Nigel	11/3-11/9
2⅛	Trans. and Del. B.	2⅛-3 1/16
19/0	Trans-Con. L.(10/)	18/0-19/0
42/0	Union Corp(12/6)	41/6-42/0
18/9	Van Ryn	22/3-22/9 + 0/9
3⅛	Van Ryn Deep	3⅜-3⅝ + ⅛
19/0	Vereeniging	18/6-19/6 + 0/3
11/3	Village Deep	11/0-11/6
26/3	West Springs	25/0-26/0
7/0	Do. Options	6/0-8/0
⅜	Wit'erarand Deep	17/6-18/6 + 0/6

RUSSIAN.

5/6	Lena Gold	6/6-7/6
3/4½	RussoAsiat. Cns.	4/10½-5/1½
3/0	Russian Mining	3/6-4/6
¾	Siberian Props.	5/0-6/0
¾	Spassky	⅜-⅝

RHODESIAN.

M.U. Sept. 8.		
5/9	Bechuanaland Ex.	5/6-6/0
2⅛	Cam and Motor	2⅛-2⅜
11/3	Chart'd B.S.A.	11/0-11/3 − 1½
3/3	Falcon	2/9-3/3
26/3	Gaika Gold	22/6-23/6
13/6	Globe & Phœnix(5/)	13/3-13/9 − 0/3
7/4½	Gold F. Rho. (10/)	7/3-7/9
1⅛	Lonely Reef	1⅛-1⅜ − 1/16
2⅜	Rezende	2⅜-2⅝
4/9	R.-Broken Hill (5/)	4/6-4/9
11/1½	Selukwe (2/6)	11/3-11/9 − 0/3
1⅛	Shamva Mines	1⅛-1⅜
3⅛	Sherwood Starr	3⅛-3⅜ + 1/16
27/3	Tanganyika	23/6-29/0
34/9	Vic. Falls Ord	34/0-35/0
30/7½	do. Pref.	34/6-35/6
16/0	Wankie Col. (10/)	15/6-16/6
4/9	Willoughby	4/6-5/0
19/0	Zambesia Expl.	17/9-18/3

DIAMOND.

⅜	Angola Diamond	⅜-⅝
17/6	Con. D. S. W. A.	17/1½-7½
11⅛	De Beers Def.	11⅛-11⅜
—	do. Pref.	11⅛-11⅜
3	Jagersfontein	2⅞-3⅛
⅜	N. Val. River	⅜-⅝
6⅜	Premier Pf. (5/-)	6⅛-7

AUSTRALIAN.

⅞	Amal. Zinc	⅞-1
14/0	Associated	13/6-14/0
24/9	Broken Hill Prop	1⅛-1⅜
2⅛	B. Hill Sth. (New)	2⅛-2⅜*
1⅛	Electro Zinc Pref	1⅛-1⅜*
15/6	Ivanhoe	15/6-16/6
17/0	Lake View (10/-)	16/3-17/3
4⅛	North Broken Hill	4⅛-4⅜
14/6	Sulphide Ord.	14/0-15/0
12/0	South Kalgurli	11/9-12/9
23/1½	Zinc. Ord. (10/-)	22/6-23/6
2⅜	do. Pref.	2⅛-2⅜

WEST AFRICAN.

9/3	Ashanti Gold (4/)	9/3-9/9
9/6	Fanti Cons. (8/).	9/3-9/9
15/6	Gold Coast Amal.	15/0-15/6
4/3	Taquah & Abosso.	4/0-4/6

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15/6	Anglo-Con. (10/-)	14/6-15/0
4⅛	Aramayo Mines	4-4⅛
9/6	Bisichi	9/3-9/9
5/3	East Pool (5/)	4/9-5/3
2⅜	Gopeng	2⅛-2⅜ + 1/16
25/3	Ipoh	25/3-26/3 − 0/3
16/6	Kaduna Synd (5).	16/0-17/0
2⅛	Kamunting	2⅛-2⅜ + 1/16
1⅛	Kramat Pulai	1⅛-1⅜ + 1/16
2⅛	Malayan T.D.	2⅛-2⅜ − 1/16
17/0	Mongu	16/0-16/6
25/0	Naraguta	24/0-25/0
11/3	Pahang (5/-)	10/0-11/6
—	Rambutan	1⅛-1⅜*
1⅛	Renong	1⅜-1⅝
15/1½	Ropp (4/ Shs)	14/9-15/3
3⅛	Siamese	3⅛-3⅜
6/0	South Bukeru	5/6-6/6
31/9	Tavoy	30/0-31/0 − 0/3
2⅜	Tronoh	2⅜-2⅝ + 1/16

COPPER.

16/6	Arizona (5/-)	⅜-⅝
⅜	Mount Elliott(£5)	⅜-⅝
9/3	Mount Morgan	9/0-10/0
20/9	Mount Lyell	20/6-21/6
⅜	Namaqua	1⅛-1⅜
34⅜	Rio Tinto (£5)	34⅛-34⅜ + ⅛
11/3	S. American (2/).	11/3-11/9

MISCELLANEOUS.

1⅛	Bingo Pref.	25/0-26/0
13/3	Brit. Platinum	12/9-13/3 − 0/3
12/3	Burma Corp.	11/9-12/0 − 1½
7/3	Champion Reef	7/0-7/6 − 0/3
—	Colombian Props	19/6-20/6
3/1½	Corderoy Synd	3/3-3/6
3	Huronian Belt	2⅞-3
⅜	Keeley Silver	10/0-10/6
9/0	Kirkland Lake	9/9-10/3 + 0/6
4⅛	Mexico Mines	4⅛-4⅜ + ⅛
3⅛	Minerals Separ't'n	3⅛-4
13/0	Min. Crp. of Can.	12/3-12/9
13/0	Mysore 10/-	12/9-13/0 + 0/6
—	Nat. Min. (8/pd.)	6/1½-6/4½
9/0	Nundydroog	8/6-9/6
13/6	Ooregum	13/0-14/0
8/3	Oroville	8/3-8/9
19/9	Porcupine Gold	19/3-21/3
18/9	St. John Del Rey.	18/6-19/6
23/6	San Francisco 10/	22/6-23/0
9/3	Santa Gertrudis	8/9-9/3
—	S. Amer. G. Areas	⅞-1
6/1½	Vipond	5/7½-/10½
1⅛	Waihi Gold	1⅛-1⅜

* Ex. Dividend. † Ex. Rights.

BUSINESS DONE.

Akim—10/6, 11/3½, 4½d., 7½d. **Anglo-American Corp.**—23/3, 6d., 9d., 3/-, 1½d. **Brakpan**—66/10½. **British Sth. Africa (Chart.)**—11/0½, *11/0½, 2½d., 1½d., 10/10½. **Cam. and Motor**—50/3¾, 7½d., 1/3, 50/11½, 49/4½, 8/1½, 7/10½, 8/6, 9d., 9/8¼, 7/9¾. **Central Mining**—11 1/16, ⅛. **City Deep**—64/6, *3/9, 5/-. **Cons. Dmd. Mines, S.W. Af.**—17/1½, 3d., 6d. **Consol. Gold Fields**—*18/9, 9d., *7½d. **Consol. Main Reef**—11/8¼, 10½d. **Consol. Mines Selection**—14/6. **Corderoy**—3/6, 3¾d., 4½d., 5¼d. **Crown Mines**—54/-, 4½d. **East Rand Prop.**—*12/9, 7½d., 6d., 4½d., 5¼d., *7½d., *1½d., 3d. **Eileen Alannah**—6/4½, *5/9, 6/2½. **Esperanza**—8⅛, 8. **Fanti Consols**—9/1½. **General Mining**—11/10½. **Government Areas**—6½. **Huronian Belt**—£6 14/3, 6 47-64, ⅝. **Johannesburg Invest.**—36/9¾, 6d., 1½d., *5/9, 10½d. **Langlaagte**—20/7½, 6d., 10½d., 9d. **Modderfontein B (5/- shares)**—26/3, 7½d., 7/-, 6d., 4½d. **Modderfontein Deep**—5 7/16. **Mount Lyell**—20/1½. **New Kleinfontein**—45/-. **New Modderfontein**—75/11½, 4/4½, 5/7½. 4/10½. **New State Areas**—31/10½, 2/2½, 2/6. **Nourse**—8/10½, 9/-. **Randfontein Estates**—18/6, *18/-, *3d., *6d., 7½d., 9d., 10½d. **Robinson Deep B**—36/-, 1½d. **Rose Deep**—12/1½, 12/-, 11/9¾. **Russo-Asiatic**—5/-, 4/11½, 10½d. **Selukwe Gold**—11/6, 9d., 3d., 1½d. **Springs**—51/10½. **Tanganyika**—25/6, 6/-, 5/9, *3d., *9d., 6/1½, 5/10½. **Union Corporation**—*41/9, 6d., 3d., 4½d. **Van Ryn**—21/10½, 7½d., 6d., 9d., 2/3, 1½d., 2/-, *1/3, 4½d. **Van Ryn Deep**—*66/-, 10½d., 7/6. **Village Deep**—11/0½, 1½d. **West Springs**—25/9, 7½d., 4½d., 3d., 6d. **Zinc Corp.**—22/9, 6d., 3d.
(*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BIRMINGHAM.—Activity chiefly confined to Austin Debentures, which spurted on reconstruction rumours. Rovers easy. Enfields and Singers weakened. Dunlops still dragging. Austins, 4/-; do. Debs., 82; Bluemels, 34/3; Calthorpes, 6d.; Components, 4/6; S.T.D., 4/10½; Enfields, 24/-; Humbers, 25/9; Napiers, 23/6; do. Pref., 19/9; Rolls, 27/4½; Rovers, 9/-; Singers, 31/6; Standards, 42/6; Swifts, 6/-; Triumphs, 26/-; Vauxhalls, 7/-; Dunlops, 8/3½; Parent Def., 40/3.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles rather quieter, but Velvets again strong. Bleachers, 55/6-56/6; do. Pref., 21/-21/6; Calicos, 34/6-34/9; do. Pref., 18/3-18/6; Dyers, 71/6-72/6; do. Pref., 19/6-20/-; Cottons, 56/-57/-; do. Pref., 19/9-20/3; Spinners, 50/-50/6; do. Pref., 19/-19/6; "Slubbers" 8/-8/6; Coats, 61/6-62/-; Ship Canal, 8 3/16-8¼; do. Pref., 8 3/16-8¼; Velvets, 28/-29/-.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

The Board of the *Daily Mail* Trust, Ltd., announce that £2,000,000 of the *Daily Mail* Trust Debentures will be repaid shortly at 110 per cent., and that formal notices to the *Daily Mail* Trust Debenture holders will be forwarded within the next few days.

Newsprint production in Canada during the first six months of 1924 totalled 675,149 tons, compared with 620,197 tons in the corresponding period last year—an increase of 55,000 tons. United States figures in the same period fell 11,000 tons.

The directors of the Caledonian (Selangor) Rubber Company will submit a resolution at the forthcoming meeting proposing the sub-division of each of the present £1 shares into 10 shares of 2/- each.

According to *Kemp's Mercantile Gazette* of September 15th, the Bankruptcies, Deeds and Petitions for Arrangement, and Bills of Sale in Ireland, published during the 36 weeks ending 8th September, numbered 123, 195 and 121 respectively, made up of 92, 135 and 53 in the Free State and 31, 60 and 68 in Northern Ireland. For the corresponding 36 weeks of 1923, the bankruptcies in Ireland were 109, Deeds of Arrangement and Petitions for Arrangement 195, and Bills of Sale 102, made up respectively of 77, 115 and 33 in the Free State and 32, 80 and 69 in Northern Ireland. The number of Bonds and Judgments registered in Ireland this year, and published during the same period, was 6,298, made up as follows:—In Free State, against farmers 2,148, traders 1,725, and others 1,137. In Northern Ireland, against farmers 514, traders 519, and others 255.

The transfer books of the Liverpool Warehousing Company's Debenture Stock will be closed from 22nd to 30th September, inclusive.

A mortgage, dated August 28, 1924, to secure £744,360, charged on the balance of 8/- per share remaining uncalled upon 1,860,900 Ordinary Shares of Bolckow Vaughan and Co., Ltd., has been registered. The holders are the National Provincial, Midland, and Williams Deacons Banks.

ROYAL BANK OF IRELAND REPORT.

The Royal Bank has a satisfactory report to place before the shareholders at the annual meeting to be held on 26th inst. at the Bank House, Foster place, Dublin. The net profits amounted to £78,387, an increase of £11,119, and as £7,705, an increase of £1,749, was brought in, the total for allocation is £86,093. The now usual 10 per cent. dividend for the year—*i.e.*, at rate of 8 per cent. per annum interim and 12 per cent. per annum final—absorbs £23,025, an increase of £525, while £54,000, an increase of £10,981, is credited to the following—*i.e.*, reserve fund, bank premises, officers' superannuation and other contingencies, leaving £9,068, an increase of £1,363 to carry forward.

The report explains that during the year the directors found it was necessary to rebuild the following branches—Smithfield, Dalkey, and Edenderry, and that the amount expended in connection with these premises has been dealt with out of the sum appropriated from the profits. New branches have been opened during the past year at Rathdowney and Wicklow.

When balancing, the amounts due on current, deposit and other accounts stood at £7,321,867, a decrease of £304,115. The assets total £7,819,600, and consist of cash, £516,662, a decrease of £411,502; British Government Securities, £1,864,602, a decrease of £9,652; other investments, £175,351, the same; and British Treasury bills, £199,311, a decrease of £247,200, or liquid assets of £2,755,928. Bills discounted figure at £197,159, a decrease of £49,022; advances on current and other accounts, £4,641,872, an increase of £440,149; and bank premises, head office and forty-three branches, £225,000, the same.

The reserve fund now stands at £175,000, an increase of £25,000.

The slight decrease in the amount on deposit and current accounts was a common experience of the past year with all banking institutions, and the substantial increase in advances and loans shows the bank has taken advantage of the legitimate requirements of customers. The Board and shareholders can alike be congratulated on the result of the past year's operations, covering as they do the Free State branches of the Belfast Banking Company acquired in June, 1923.

INDUSTRIALS IRREGULAR.

AUSTIN DEBENTURES IN FAVOUR

Another quiet day was experienced in the Miscellaneous and Industrial markets yesterday. Business was reduced to small proportions, political considerations exercising a restrictive influence, and movements again revealed an irregular tendency. Iron and Steels further receded and Coal Shares remained dull. In Gas Stocks, Gas Light and Coke and Brentford "A" and "B" appreciated on the proposed amalgamation. The Marconi group was on the dull side, the Prefs. dropping 1/16 to 1⅛, while Canadians eased to 6s. 4½d. Austin Fourth Debs. again provided the feature of the Motor group on rumours that 25 p.c. of the amount outstanding will be paid off at par under the reconstruction scheme. Fresh selling of Tobaccos caused renewed dulness during the earlier hours, but towards the close a harder tendency developed owing to buyers coming in at the lower levels, and losses at the finish were small. Dunlops eased to 8s. 3d. In the newspaper section "Daily Mirrors" and Associated Deferred both receded to 4 15/16; "Sunday Pictorials" fell 1/16 to 3 7/16. "Financial News" First Prefs., however, put on 6d. to 11s. The announcement by the "Daily Mail" Trust Board that £2,000,000 of the Debs. will be repaid shortly at 110 p.c. came too late to affect the market, the price closing practically unchanged at 107.

Following the publication of the report showing a loss on trading for the year, Celanese Ord. dropped 6d. to 9s., while the Prefs. left off 9d. lower at 11s. Courtaulds held their ground at 51s. 9d., and Grouts and the New remained steady at previous levels. Hinde and Hardy eased to 26s. 9d. Elsewhere in Textiles Bleachers dropped 6d. to 56s. 6d., while a similar decline occurred in Bradford Dyers to 72s. 3d. Small set-backs were seen in "Slubbers" to 8s. 3d. and in Dyestuffs Prefs. to 12s. In Breweries Benskins came on offer and closed 1s. down at 24s. 9d. Ind Coopes enjoyed a fair turnover, but finished unchanged at 2 5/16. Buchanan Dewars recovered to 59s. 6d., and Hodgsons put on ⅛ to 9⅞. Renewed firmness characterised the Shipping group. P. and O. Defd. left off the better at 305, Royal Mails rose 1 to 92½, and Court Lines 6d. to 29s. 3d. Cunards hardened to 19s., and Furness Withys to 34s. 6d. Insurances remained firm at previous levels, while Bank shares showed to advantage, Hong Kong and Shanghai recovering 2½ to 130. Gains of ⅛ took place in Colonials to 6⅛, and in Ionians to 5, while Anglo-South Americans hardened to 7⅛. Among recent issues, "Daily Sketch" Debs. receded to 1 prem., and County of London Notes to ½ prem. Imperial Airways were not so good at 6s. 9d.

RUBBER SHARES LOWER.

TONE WEAKER.

A fair amount of business was transacted in the Rubber share market yesterday, but a distinctly lower tone was noticeable. Price changes were numerous, but the majority of them were in the downward direction. Pegoh rose 3s. 1½d. on the day to 31s. 10½d., and Sumatra Cons. were 1s. 9d. better at 21s. 3d. Kasintoe gained 1s. 3d. to 16s. 3d., and Sungei Buaya rose 7½d. to 31s. 3d. N. Hummock gained 9d. to 15s. 6d., and Grand Central finished 3d. better at 20s. 3d. Brieh at 1s. 10½d. and Kepitigalla at 1s. 1½d. were both 1½d. higher, while Yam Seng at 1s. 11¼d. and Tempeh at 1s. 3d. were 2¼d. and 1d. higher respectively. Pilmoor, on the other hand, dropped 2s. 10½d. to 15s. 7½d.; Java Amal. at 23s. 9d. were 1s. 10½d. lower on the day. Anglo Malay at 20s. 3d. and Sungei Krian Pref. at 27s. were both 1s. 9d. lower. Un Sua Betong lost 1s. 6d. to 63s., while Sialang at 29s. 0¾d. were 1s. 6¾d. down Rubber Trust dropped 1½d. to 28s. 3d., and B.N.B.R. Trust were unchanged at 8s. 9d. The price of rubber fell to 14⅛d. per lb. Closing prices:—

M.U. Sept. 9.			
38/0	Anglo-Dutch	41/1½	−0/1½
2/1½	Anglo-Java	2/8	−0/0¾
17/9	Anglo-Malay	20/3	−1/9
3/6	Bertam Cons.	3/10½	
2/4½	Bukit Mertajam	2/6	−0/4
1/4½	Bukit Sembawang	1/7	−0/1
⅜	Damansara	14/4½	−0/4½
18/0	Grand Central	20/3	+0/3
1⅜	Highlands	3⅜/6	−0/1½
2/1½	Kamuning	2/8	
2/3	Kepong	4/0¾	
1⅜	Kuala Lumpur	25/0	
1⅛	Labu	26/6	
1⅛	Linggi	30/7½	−0/10½
3/0	London-Asiatic	3/6	−0/1½
1⅛	Malacca	31/0	
32/3	Malayalam	34/3	−0/3
2/4½	Merlimau	2/9	−0/0¾
⅞	Mooply Valley	20/9	
2/0	Port Dickson	2/3¾	−0/1½
28/10½	Rubber Trust	78/3	−0/1½
9/0	Senfield	11/3	
1⅛	Sendayan	30/0	
28/3	Sialang	29/0¾	−1/6¾
17/6	Straits Rubber	18/3	
⅞	Tali Ayer	19/6	
1⅛	Tandjong	32/6	−1/3
3/1½	Un. Serdang	3/7	
2⅛	United Sua Betong	63/0	−1/6
10/9	Vallambrosa	12/3	−0/3

Ampat	3/9		Mombakut	12/9	
Anglo-Sum.	43/9		N. Hummock	15/6	+0/9
Bah Lias	31/3	−0/6	P.P.K.(C'yl'n)	15/0	
Batu Tiga	38/1½		Pataling	16/10½	
B.N.B.R.Trst	8/9		Pegoh	31/10½	+3/1½
Brieh	1/10½	+0/1½	Pilmoor	15/7½	−2/10½
Bukit Cloh	4/1½		Rim Malacca	2/6½	−0/1
Bukit Rajah	19/0	−0/6	Rub. E. Johore	21/3	
Castlefield	4/9		Sapong	33/9	
Cheviot	3/1½		Sapumalk'de	20/1½	
Cicely	4/6½		Selangor	4/4½	
Eastern Trust	15/0		Serdang C'nt'l	21/6	−0/7½
Gen. Ceylon	37/0		Soember Ajoe	1/6	+0/1½
G'suborvie	23/1½		Sumatra Con.	21/3	+1/9
Glenshiel	15/0		Sungei Buaya	31/3	+0/7½
Golden Hope	21/10½	−0/7½	Sungei Chok	17/6	−0/3
Java Amal.	23/9	−1/10½	Sungei Kapar	3/7½	
Kapar Para	25/3¾		Sungei Kr. Pf.	27/0	−1/9
Kasintoe	16/3	+1/3	Tairing	1/4½	−0/1½
Kepitigalla	1/1½	+0/1½	Tamiang	27/9	−1/0
Kombok	2/3¾	−0/0¾	Tabrau	31/0	
Langkat Sum	21/10½		Telogoredjo	37/6	−1/3
Ledbury	26/3		Tempeh	1/3	+0/1
Malacca deb.	97½		Un. Tamiang	2/3½	−0/2½
Manch'ter N.B.	20/3	+1/0	Yam Seng	1/11¼	+0/2¼

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THE MONEY MARKET.

LOANS EASIER.

EXCHANGES STEADY.

Although the Revenue returns indicate that the Government has been repaying ways and means advances and thus curtailing market resources, supplies of credit yesterday appeared to be more plentiful. During the early hours 3¼ p.c. was occasionally paid for short loans, but towards the close balances were offered down to 2½ p.c. Renewals for a week were made at 2¾ p.c. Owing to the easier condition of money, discount quotations were hardly so firm, short bills being quoted at 3 11/16 p.c., and fine three months' paper at 3¾ p.c. sellers. Second-hand Treasuries changed hands at 3 11/16 to 3¾ p.c., and a few September bills were taken at 3½ p.c.

Bank Rate (Discount changed July 5, 1923), 4%

60 days (fine)	3¾	3¾%	Trade	4	4½%
3 months	3¾	3 13/16%		4½	5%
4 months	4	%		4½	5%
6 months	4	4⅛%			
Loans to brokers day-to-day		3¼			2¾%
for a week					2¾%
Deposit allowance: Banks at call					2%
Discount houses, at call					2%
at notice					2¼%

Gold fell 3d. per oz. to 92s. 5d. Silver was unchanged at 34 11/16d. per oz. for both spot and forward delivery.

The market for foreign exchanges was quiet and rates showed comparative steadiness. Sterling on New York, however, had a further spurt to 4.48-4.48⅛ dollars, and French francs were a trifle dearer at 83.40-83.50, Belgian francs being 89.60-89.70. Other Continental exchanges were mostly steady. South American currencies were still rising. Rupees were steady at 1s. 5¼d.-1s. 5 11/16d., but Japanese yen further deteriorated to 1s. 9 11/16d.-1s. 9 11/16d. China rates were still firm. The following are closing quotations:—

—	September 17.		September 16.		Normal Rate.
Alexandria	97⅜		97⅜		97½-1
Amsterdam	11.62⅜	11.63⅛	11.62½	11.63	12.10
B. Ayres	43⅛	43⅞	43⅛	43⅞	47.58
Barcelona	33.81	33.83	33.67	33.69	25.22
Berlin	18.75	billions	18.75	billions	20.40
Bombay	1 5⅛	1 5⅜	1/5⅛	1 5⅜	2/0
Brussels	89.60	89.70	89.90	90.00	25.22½
Calcutta	1 5⅛	1 5⅜	1/5⅛	1/5⅜	2/0
Christiania	32.40	32.45	32.38	32.42	18.15
Copenhagen	26.32	26.36	26.32	26.35	18.15
Czecho-Slov	149	149⅛	148¾	149	—
Finland	177⅛	178	177⅛	178¼	25.22½
Greece	247	251	245	250	25.22½
Hong Kong	2/4⅛	2 5⅛	2/4⅛	2 5⅛	—
Hungary	345,000		345,000		—
Italy	101⅛	102	101⅛	102	25.22½
Lisbon	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	53 ⅛d.
Madrid	33.74	33.78	33.67	33.69	25.22½
Mexico	2/3⅛		2/3⅛		24⅛d.
Montreal	4.47⅜	4.48	4.46	4.46⅜	4.86
Montevideo	45⅛	46	45⅛	45⅞	51d.
New York	4.47⅞	4.48⅛	4.45⅞	4.47⅛	4.86
Paris	83.40	83.50	83.60	84.25	25.22
Poland	23.15	23.35	23.15	23.35	25.22½
RiodeJan.	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞	16d.
Roumania	8.40	8.50	8.45	8.50	—
Shanghai	3/5	3 5⅛	3/4⅜	3 5⅛	—
Singapore	2/4⅛		2/4⅛		2 4⅛
Stockholm	16.78	16.83	16.73	16.76	18.15
Switzerland	23.69	23.72	23.67	23.69	25.22
Valparaiso	39.70		39.50		13.33
Vienna	317,500		317,500		—
Yokohama	1/9⅛	1 9⅛	1/9⅛	1/10	24.

* Sloty to the £.

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—

Consols—57⅛, ⅛, ¼, ⅛, ¼, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **3½ p.c. War Loan**—95⅛, 6, 5⅞, 6. **4½ p.c. War Loan**—97⅛, ¼, ⅛, ¼. **5 p.c. War Loan**—102⅛, 2, 1⅞, 2, 2⅛, 1⅞, 2⅛, 1⅞. **4 p.c. War Loan**—100⅛, ⅛, ¼, ⅛. **Funding Loan**—90⅛, ¼, ⅛, ¼, ⅛. **Victory Bonds**—92⅛, ¼, ⅛, ¼. **Conversion Loan 3½ p.c.**—77⅛, ¼, ⅛, ¼, ⅛, ¼; **do. 4½ p.c.**—98⅛, 8⅛, ¼, ⅛, ¼. **India 7 p.c. Loan**—108, 104, ⅛. **India 4½ p.c.**—86⅛, ¼, ⅛. **Australia 6 p.c. Stock**—104⅛, ¼, 5; **do. 5 p.c. Stock**—101⅛, ¼, ⅛, 1¼. **South Africa 6 p.c.**—106½. **Japan 6 p.c. Sterling**—90⅛, ¼, ⅛, ¼, ⅛. **Aerated Bread**—25/6, 6/-. **African and Eastern**—31/7½, 2/-, 1/3, 11½d., 2/-. **Amalgamated Cotton**—10/-, 9/10½, 10/1½, 9/11½, 10/-. **Amalgamated Press**—*41/6, 2/-, 6d., 3d., 1/10½, 2/3. **Anglo-Ceylon Rubber**—53/6, 2/6, 2/-. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—41/-, 40/3, 9d., 40/-, 4½d. **Armstrong**—13/1½, 12/9. **Assoc. Cement**—16/6, 7½d., *3d. **Assoc. Newspapers Def.**—99/0¾, 100/-, 98/9, 9/-, 9/0½. **Baldwins Ord.**—11/-, 10/9. **Barclays Bank "A"**—7½, ⅛, ¼; **do. "B"**—53/9, 4/-, *3/7½, 4/-. **Brazilian Traction**—54⅛, ⅛, ¼, ⅛, ¼. **British-American Tobacco**—107/-, 6d., 3d., 4½d., 7/-. **Brunner Mond**—37/9, 10½d., 7½d., 8/-. **Bryant and May**—48/10½, 9/-. **Buenos Ayres Great Southern**—88⅛, ⅛, ¼, 7⅛, 8, 7⅞, 8⅛, ⅛. **Buenos Ayres Western Ord.**—79⅛, 9⅛, ⅛, 9⅛. **Buenos Ayres Pacific**—84⅛, 4⅛, 4⅛. **Calico Printers**—34/1½, 9d., *3/9, 4/1½. **Canadian Pacific**—165⅛, 4⅞, ⅛, 5⅛, ⅛, 4⅞. **Central Argentine Cons.**—74⅛, ⅛, 4⅛, ¼, 5. **Coats**—62/-, *1/3, 9d., 4½d. **Cook (St. Paul's) Ord.**—*20/3; **do. Part. Pref.**—23/-, 2/6, 7½d., 3/3. **Cory (Wm.)**—41/10½, 2/6, 1/-. **Courtaulds**—51/10½, 9d., 7½d., 2/-, 1/11½, 9¾d.; **do. 5 p.c.**—18/1½, 4½d., 3¼d., 3¾d., 3d., *6d., *18/-, 3¾d. **Crosse and Blackwell**—2/4½. **Crosses and Winkworth Pref.**—9/3. **Cunard Ord.**—19/-, 18/10½, 19/3, 18/9, 19/-, 11½d., 7½d., 1½d.; **do. Debs.**—103. **Daily Mail Trust Debs.**—107⅛, 7, 6, 6⅞, 7½. **Daily Mirror Ord.**—5, 4 15/16, ⅛, 5 1/16, 4⅞. **Dorman Long**—9/10½, 10/0¾, 9/9, 11¼d., 10/1½. **Dunlop Ord.**—8/3, 5¼d., 4d., 3d., 1½d., 4½d., 1½d.; **do. Debs.**—108. **Edison Swan**—4/10½, 11¼d., 5/-. **Elder-Dempster 6 p.c. Pref.**—19/6. **English Sewing Cotton**—56/6, 7/-, 6/9. **Fine Cotton Spinners**—50/6, 3d., 4½d., 50/-, 7½d., 6d. **Finlay (James)**—70/9, 1/-, 70/6. **Forestal Land**—22/6, *2/-, 3d., 1½d., 4½d. **General Electric Ord.**—18/-, 17/7½; **do. Debs.**—104½. **German 3 p.c.**—42/3, 6d., 2/-, 3/6, 3/-, 2/9; **do. 3½ p.c.**—32/-, 3/-, 2/6, *30/-, 2/9, 3/3, 2/9; **do. 4 p.c.**—33/3, 2/9, 6d., 3/6, 2/10½. **Grand Central Rubber**—19/6, 20/-, 19½d., 3d. **Grand Trunk Pacific 4 p.c. Debs.**—61⅛, ⅛, 60⅛, ⅛, *1, 59⅛, ⅛, 60⅛, ⅛, 60. **Great Western Rail.**—107⅛, ⅛, ¼, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛; **do. 5 p.c. Pref.**—100⅛, 1, 100⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Guinness Ord.**—460. **Harland and Wolf 6 p.c. Pref.**—7/6, 7½d., 6¼d., 7½d., 9d. **Marrod's Ord.**—39/9, 40/-, 39/6, *3d., 40/3, *39/6. **Highlands Rubber**—32/3, 1/10½. **Hudson's Bay Ord.**—5 9/16. **Hungarian 7½ p.c., 1924**—87⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Imperial Tobacco**—77/9, 6d., 7/-, 6/10½, 7/4½, 3d., 1½d.; **do. Canada**—27/6, 4½d., 1½d., 3¾d., 3d., 7/-. **Jute Industries**—*7/1½, 3d., 4½d., 6d., 7½d. **Lever 7 p.c. Pref.**—20/5¼, 3d., 3¾d., 20/-, 6d., 4½d., 5¼d., 4½d.; **do. 8 p.c. Pref.**—20/1½, 19/10½, *9d., 20/-, 19/11½, 20/-; **do. 7 p.c. Debs.**—107⅛. **Lipton Ord.**—27/-, *6/-, 9d. **Lister Ord.**—27/3, 7/-. **Lloyds Bank**—59/1½, 4½d., 1½d., *9/-. **London Asiatic Rubber**—3/7, *7½d., 6d., 6¼d., 4½d., 7½d. **London, Midland and Scottish Ord.**—98⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *¾, *8, *7⅛, 8. **London and North-Eastern Pref. Ord.**—79⅛, ⅛, 80⅛, 80, *79⅛, 80⅛, 79⅛; **do. Def. Ord.**—28⅛, ⅛, ¼, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.**—93/1½, 5/-; **do. 7 p.c. Pref.**—25/1½, 5/-. **Malayalam Rubber**—34/6, 7½d., 3/10½, 9d., 4/7½, 4/-. **Marconi Ord.**—32/3, 6d., *3/7½, 3/-, 2/4½, 2/-; **do. Pref.**—31/9, 1/-; **do. Debs.**—104⅛; **do. Marine**—20/3, 10½d.; **do. Canada**—6/6, 4½d., 5¼d. **Maypole Def.**—5/0¾, 4/10½, 5/-, 4/11½, 11½d., 11¼d., 5/-. **Metropolitan Rail.**—76, 5⅞, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Metropolitan District**—51⅛, 50⅞, 1⅛. **Midland Bank**—8⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 3, ⅛, ⅛. **Mond Nickel**—45/-, 3d. **Nat. Prov. Bank (£3½)**—9⅛; **do. (£4)**—10⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *⅛, £10 13/6. **Nestle 8 p.c. Pref.**—23/10½, 7½d. **Nobel Deferred**—8/2¼, 3d., 2¼d.; **do. Debs.**—*103. **Parent Ord.**—*19/6. **Peruvian Corp. Pref.**—31⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Platt Bros. Ord.**—33/9¾, 6d. **P. and O. 5 p.c. Debs.**—101⅛, *1, 99⅛, *101, 100. **Prussian Consols. 3½ p.c.**—38/6, 8/-, 3d., 40/-. **Rubber Trust**—27/9, 10½d., 8/-, 7/7½, 8/4½, 1½d., 7/10½. **Selfridge Ord.**—24/9; **do. Pref.**—29/3, 8/9, 9/3. **Smithfield and Argentine**—13/6. **Southern Rail. Pref. Ord.**—82⅛, 3, *2⅛, ⅛; **do. Def. Ord.**—40⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛; **do. Ord. "A"**—38⅛, *7⅛; **do. Ord. "B"**—9⅛. **Sudan Plantations**—6⅛, 6⅛, 1-64. **Sunday Pictorial Ord.**—65/-, 4/4½, 3/9, 5/-, 4/3. **Swedish Match B**—8⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 31-64, 29-64, ⅛. **Underground Elec.**—53/1½, 2/6. **Underground Income Bonds**—95⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Union Cold Storage 6 p.c. Pref.**—21/-, 20/10½, *6d., 10½d. **United Dairies**—*33/6, 4/-, 3d., *3/3, 4/1½, 3/9, 4/1½. **United of Havana Rail.**—87⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **United Premier Oil and Cake Ord.**—9/4½. **United Serdang Rubber**—3/6½, 7½d., 5d., 6¼d., 4½d. **United Tobacco**—82/4½, 2/-, 9d., 7½d., 1/3, 2/1½, 1/4½, 1/3. **Vickers**—8/6, *8/-, 8/0¾, 4½d., *7/10½, 8/3¾. **Walker (Peter) "B" Pref.**—19/7½. **Watney Coombe Def.**—245, 6⅛, 5⅛. **Westminster Bank**—17⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛.

(*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON:—Alliance, 13⅛, ⅛; ditto New, 14⅜, ⅛; Atlas, 18⅛, ⅛; British General, 48/6; Commercial Union, 20⅛, ⅛, ⅛; Eagle Star, 8⅜, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛; Employers' Liability, 84/6, 3/6; General Accident, 7⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛; Gresham Fire, 5⅛; Guardian Eastern, 7/9; London and Lancashire, 19⅛, ⅛; London Associated, 6/9; Motor Union, 8⅛; North British, 19⅛, ⅛, £19 9/-, 19⅛; Northern, 16⅛, ⅛; Phœnix, 12⅛; Phœnix Pelican, 12⅛, £12 5/9; ditto Norwich Union, 12⅛; Prudential "B," 36/4⅛, 2¼d., 6d., 9d., 6/-; Prudential, 19; Royal Exchange, 588, 592, 1; Scottish Union, 10⅛, ⅛; Victory, 2/6⅛, 7½d., 6¼d., 6d., 9d.; Western Alliance Re-insurance, 11/11⅛; 12/-; World Auxiliary, 22/9, 3/3; Yorkshire, 11⅛; Pearl (£3 paid), 46⅛; Trade Indemnity (£5 paid), 7⅛, ⅛, ⅛.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL:—Atlas, 18⅛; Commercial Union, 20⅛; Eagle Star, 8⅛; Employers' Liability, 84/-; General Accident, 7⅛; London and Lancashire, 19⅛, ⅛; London Assurance, 11⅛; North British, 19⅛; Phœnix, 12⅛; do. Pelican, 245/9, 6/6, 7/-; do. Norwich Union, 12⅛, 5/9. Royal Insurance, 28⅛; Scottish Union, 204/6, 2/6; Sea, 75/9.

GAS AMALGAMATION.

An agreement for the amalgamation of the Gas, Light and Coke Company and the Brentford Gas Company has been entered into between the two undertakings. It is proposed that the arrangement, which is subject to the sanction of Parliament, should take effect as from January 1, 1926.

FIRE IN BELFAST.

The Belfast Fire Brigade received a call early yesterday morning to an outbreak of fire at the rear of the premises of Messrs. J. and J. Haslett, Ltd., wholesale chemists and druggists, and those of Messrs. R. and J. Dick, boot merchants. The Brigade had the fire extinguished in a very short time before any appreciable damage was done.

Insurance at low rates with Phœnix Assurance Co., Ltd., 10-12 Trinity street, Dublin.—J. R. Warner, Manager. Agents everywhere.—(Advt.)

Report of the Directors OF THE ROYAL BANK OF IRELAND, Limited.

TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE SHAREHOLDERS AT THEIR EIGHTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, TO BE HELD AT THE BANK-HOUSE, FOSTER PLACE, DUBLIN, ON FRIDAY, THE 26th SEPTEMBER, 1924, AT ONE O'CLOCK P.M.

	£	s.	d.
The Directors have to report that the net Profits of the Bank for the year ended 31st August, 1924, after making provision for all bad and doubtful debts, amounted to..	78,387	15	5
which, with the amount brought forward from last year of	7,705	8	8
make together	86,093	4	1
From this an Interim Dividend at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum (less Tax) for the first six months of the year has been distributed to the Shareholders	9,000	0	0
leaving a Balance of	77,093	4	1
Out of which the Board have appropriated to Reserve Fund, Bank Premises, Officers' Superannuation, and other contingencies	54,000	0	0
leaving available a Balance of	23,093	4	1
which they recommend should be appropriated as follows:— A further Dividend at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum (less Tax) for the six months ended 31st August last	14,025	0	0
The Balance to be carried forward to the credit of next year's Account	9,068	4	1

During the year the Directors found that it was necessary to rebuild the following Branches:—Smithfield, Dalkey and Edenderry. The amount expended in connection with these premises has been dealt with out of the sum appropriated from the profits.

New Branches have been opened during the year at Rathdowney and Wicklow.

The Directors who retire by rotation at M. Barrington Jellett, Esq., and James M. Sweetman, Esq., K.C., both of whom are eligible for re-election, and offer themselves accordingly.

In conformity with the provisions of the Companies Act, it will be necessary for the Shareholders to elect Auditors for the ensuing year, and Messrs. Kevans and Son and F. H. Grierson, Esq., the retiring Auditors, offer themselves for re-election.

By Order of the Board,
G. A. STANLEY, Secretary.

18th September, 1924.

BALANCE SHEET.

31st AUGUST, 1924.

Dr. LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.	Cr. ASSETS.	£	s.	d.
To Proprietors' Capital, £1,500,000, divided into 30,000 Shares of £50, on each of which £10 has been paid up	300,000	0	0	By Investments— British Government Securities (including War issues)	1,864,602	19	9
" Reserve Fund	175,000	0	0	" Colonial Government Stocks, Railway Debenture Stocks, etc.	175,351	16	7
" Current, Deposit and other Accounts, including Officers' Superannuation Fund	7,321,867	0	3	" British Treasury Bills	199,311	18	2
" Profit and Loss, balance after paying Interim Dividend at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum (less tax), as per account below	77,093	4	1	" Bankers' Balances and Cash at Head Office and Branches	516,662	1	8
" Less appropriated to Reserve Fund, Bank Premises, Officers' Superannuation and other contingencies	54,000	0	0	" Bills Discounted	197,159	7	11
	23,093	4	1	" Advances on Current and other Accounts	4,641,872	0	3
				" Bank Premises (Head Office and 43 Branches)	225,000	0	0
	£7,819,960	4	4		£7,819,960	4	4

PROFIT AND LOSS—31st AUGUST, 1924.

Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
To Interim Dividend at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum (less Income Tax) for the half-year to the 29th February, 1924	9,000	0	0	By Balance brought forward from last year	7,705	8	8
Balance, carried to Balance Sheet	77,093	4	1	" Nett Profits for the year, after providing for all expenses, Bad and Doubtful Debts, etc.	78,387	15	5
	£86,093	4	1		£86,093	4	1

M. BARRINGTON JELLETT, Chairman,
E. CLIVE BROOKS,
JOHN McCANN, } Directors.

G. A. STANLEY,
Secretary and Joint General Manager.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

We have examined the above Balance Sheet in detail with the books at Head Office and Branches, and have satisfied ourselves as to the correctness of the Cash Balances and Bills of Exchange at Head Office and certain Branches. We have also verified the Securities representing the Investments of the Bank, and having obtained all the information and explanations we required, we are of opinion that such Balance Sheet is properly drawn up, so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Bank's affairs, according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us, and as shown by the books of the Bank.

KEVANS & SON, Chartered Accountants,
F. H. GRIERSON, } Auditors.

13th September, 1924.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

ALLIANCE AND DUBLIN CONSUMERS' GAS COMPANY.—The directors' report for the half-year ended 30th June last states that the accounts submitted show a profit on the revenue account of £56,600 2/6, and, after providing for interest on Debenture Stock and income tax, there remains the sum of £45,997 2/1, to which must be added the sum of £8,335 1/7, being the balance brought from last account, and a credit for interest amounting to £360 2/4, making a total of £54,692 6/-. Out of this total, the directors recommend the payment of a dividend at the rate of 6½ per cent. per annum, less income tax, on the Consolidated Ordinary Stock of the company, which will absorb the sum of £48,495 17/6, and the appropriation of the remainder, amounting to £6,196 8/6, to the Reserve Fund.

ACCIDENT, FIRE AND LIFE ASSURANCE CORPORATION.—Interim dividend of 2½ per cent. on Pref. shares, and 12½ per cent. on Ord. shares, both less tax.

ABACO SELANGOR RUBBER.—Dividend of 5 per cent.

ASSOCIATED PROVINCIAL PICTURE HOUSES—Final dividend of 4½ per cent. actual on Ordinary, making 7 per cent. for the year; £37,243 forward.

BRITISH CELANESE.—A net loss of £74,051 is shown by the accounts for the year ended February 29, 1924. Trading loss accounted for £34,478, losses on cancellation of erection contracts for £231, and the remainder of the loss was due to Debenture and other interest (less interest and transfer fees received). The previous report, which covered a period of twenty months, showed a trading loss of £210,537, and a total net loss (including amounts written off stocks, depreciation, etc., £229,270) of £491,781. The debit balance is now increased to £565,827. The directors point out that the whole of the special advertising and propaganda programme for popularising Celanese has been charged to revenue. Had that expenditure been capitalised there would have been a trading profit. The benefits of this expenditure have not been felt fully in the year under review. Since the beginning of the present calendar year production has steadily increased in order to keep pace with the sales. The results for the last few months, the report states, have been satisfactory.

BRUCE PEEBLES.—Dividend on 7½ per cent. Cumulative Participating Pref. Shares for half-year ended June 30th.

BUENOS AYRES WESTERN RAILWAY.—Balance dividend on the Ordinary Stock of 4 per cent., less tax, making 6 per cent., less tax, for the year ended 30th June (Last year the total dividend was 7 per cent.).

BUENOS AYRES GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY CO.—Balance dividend on the Ordinary Stock of 4 per cent., less tax, making 7 per cent. for the whole year ended 30th June (same as last year).

D. H. EVANS AND CO.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent. on the Ordinary Shares and 3 per cent. on the Preference Shares, less tax.

HARDY'S CROWN BREWERY.—Interim dividend of 5/- per share, less tax, on Ordinary.

HIGHLAND TEA CO. OF CEYLON.—Interim dividend of 10 per cent. for the half-year ending 30th June, 1924.

KAMUNING (PERAK) RUBBER AND TIN.—Dividend of 1d. per share, free of tax, in respect of the year ended June 30th.

KELANI VALLEY RUBBER.—Interim dividend of 3 per cent. on the Preference Shares for the half-year ending 30th June, 1924.

KERN RIVER OILFIELDS.—Final dividend for the twelve months ended 31st May, 1924, of 7½ per cent., less tax, which, with the interim dividend of 5 per cent. paid in April last, makes 12½ per cent. for the year.

MOUNT VERNON (CEYLON) TEA CO.—Interim dividend of 10 per cent. for the half-year ending 30th June.

MYSORE GOLD MINING CO.—Interim dividend on account of the year ending 31st December, 1924, of 9d. per share, less tax.

NORTH-EASTERN OF URUGUAY RAILWAY.—Dividend of 3½ per cent., less tax, making 6½ per cent. for the year. For the previous twelve months 6½ per cent. was paid.

PEARSON AND KNOWLES COAL AND IRON CO., LTD.—In view of the great uncertainty surrounding the immediate future of the steel trade, the directors have decided that it is desirable to conserve the resources of the company, and recommend that no final dividend be paid on the Cum.-Pref. shares. The profits for the year, after providing for interest and all other charges, amount to £29,681.

P. AND W. MacLELLAN.—Interim dividend on the 6 per cent. Cum. Pref. Shares at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum for the half-year ended June 30th.

SCOTTISH CEYLON TEA CO.—Interim dividend of 12½ per cent. on the Ordinary Shares and 3½ on the Preference Shares for the half-year ending 30th June.

SHAWINIGAN WATER AND POWER.—Dividend of 81½ per share on the Common Shares for quarter ended September 30, 1924.

TENNANT BROS.—Final dividend at rate of 10 per cent., and bonus of 1 per cent., both free of tax.

AUSTIN MOTOR RUMOURS.

A feature of the Motor group for some time, says the *Financial News*, has been the Austin 4th Debs. At the beginning of July these stood at about 56½, and yesterday they reached 82 as a result of persistent buying. The company is reported to have been doing well for some time past, and it will doubtless be recalled that the last report stated that the sales to date are in excess of the programme arranged, and also that when the Olympia Show opens the whole of the output for 1924 will be contracted for by the distributors and agents. It is now rumoured that the company will pay off the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Debs., which amount to £160,000, £250,000, and £100,000, respectively; and, further, that 25 per cent. of the 4th Debs., which were issued to unsecured creditors, will be redeemed. The amount of the latter now outstanding, with accrued interest, is £1,025,216. After this has been done the remainder will rank as a 1st Deb., and will be paid off out of profits before any consideration is given to Pref. shareholders.

Rumours also suggest that all arrears of interest on the Pref. Shares will be cancelled, but that the company will be in a position to pay a dividend on the 1st Prefs. in six months. Other classes of shares, it is suggested, will be subjected to severe cuts. There has been considerable delay in putting forward the reconstruction scheme, and the rapid advance in the 4th Debs. is certainly very significant.

ILLEGAL TRAWLING.

WELSH SKIPPERS SMARTLY FINED.

At the Tralee Court, before District Justice Johnson, a fine of £100 each was imposed on the skippers of several Welsh steam trawlers, for fishing within the three mile limit in Dingle Bay last April.

The defendants who were represented by Mr. C. J. Downing, solicitor, were:—J. W. Setterfield, Milford Haven, skipper of the Tyrwhitt; H. A. Long, skipper of the Sturdie; R. Yalshey, skipper of the Cornelia (two offences); F. Hulland, skipper of the Cyclse; A. Hornswood, skipper of the Caliph; P. Melia, skipper of the Foss, and Walter Smith, skipper of the Slebech.

Mr. Liston, State Solicitor, who prosecuted, asked for the full penalty in each case.

The Justice, in inflicting the maximum penalty of £100, with £7 6s. 4d. costs in each case, said that when one of the local fishermen protested, one of the men in the trawlers shouted: "To hell with your laws, and to hell with the Free State!" The damage done by these trawlers was much more than the penalty that he was entitled to impose, as it was proved that they were throwing out fish which would not be saleable for them, but which would be very valuable to the local fishermen.

A BLACKSMITHS' UNION.

A meeting of blacksmiths' strikers and finishers, who are members of the Irish General Railway and Engineering Union, was held last night at the offices, 67 Dame street, Dublin, for the purpose of forming a branch of such workers within the Union. The meeting concerned itself solely with the election of branch officers and representatives on the management committee.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Wind and Weather—Strong Westerly winds, heavy squalls; unsettled.

Foreign Arrival—Ss. Endymion, of Glasgow, 415 tons register, Capt. Waldman, from Cadiz, with wine and general cargo; discharged at Shelter Sheds, Custom House quay, and proceeded to Liverpool and Glasgow, with part cargo.

Coastwise Arrivals—Ss. South Stack, ss. Snowden, from Holyhead, with goods; ss. Lady Martin, from London, with goods; ss. Lady Kildare, ss. Lady Longford, from Liverpool, with goods; ss. Puma, ss. Dungeness, from Glasgow, with goods; ss. Brier, from Heysham, with goods; ss. Lady Brussels, from Preston, with goods; ss. Slieve Donard, from Holyhead, with locomotive parts; ss. Aspen, from Glasgow, with bricks; ss. Carnduff, from Larne, with cement; ss. Sarah Brough, from Fleetwood, with salt; ss. Olive, ss. St. Mungo, from Garston, with coals; ss. Taleere, from Point of Aire, with coals; ss. Briarfield, ss. Sard, from Ayr, with coals; ss. Glencullen, from Partington, with coals; ss. Ryvarden (of Norway), from Preston, light.

Foreign Departures—Ss. Emden, of Hamburg, 394 tons register, Capt. Burmeister, for Belfast, with part cargo (general); ss. Granja, of Dublin, 396 tons register, Capt. Hagan, for Belfast, with general cargo; ss. Clapham, of Belfast, 315 tons register, Capt. McIlwane, for Belfast, with part cargo (fruit and general); ss. Schenectady, of Philadelphia, 3,102 tons register, Capt. Martino, for Belfast, with part cargo (general).

Coastwise Departures—Ss. South Stack, ss. Snowdon, for Holyhead, with goods; ss. Puma, for Glasgow, with goods; ss. Brier, for Heysham, with goods; ss. Dungeness, for Waterford and Cork, with goods; ss. Lady Longford, for Liverpool and Birkenhead, with livestock and goods; ss. Esperanto, for Garston, light; ss. Glenageary, for Partington, light; ss. Tioga, for Barrow, light; ss. Carnduff, for Whitehaven, light; ss. Olive, for Newport, light.

LLOYD'S MAIL NEWS.

ANDES, for Southampton, left the Plate 16.
ABA, for Liverpool, left Accra 13.
BEREBY, from Liverpool, arrived Las Palmas 15.
COLUMBUS, from Bremerhaven, arrived New York 17.
CIRCASSIA, Bombay for Liverpool, arrived Suez 17.
CHINA, London for Bombay, arrived Port Said 17.
CHINDWIN, Liverpool for Rangoon, arrived Port Said 17.
CITY OF BIRMINGHAM, for London, left Colombo 16.
CITY OF EXETER, for Calcutta, left the Mersey 17.
CITY OF LONDON, for Bombay, left the Mersey 17.
CITY OF DUNKIRK, for London, left Gibraltar 16.
CITY OF BARODA, Bombay for Hull, arr. Suez 16.
CITY OF SALISBURY, for London, left Calcutta 17.
DESNA, for Liverpool, left Rio de Janeiro 16.
DICTATOR, from London, arrived Port Natal 16.
DIPLOMAT, for Calcutta, and APPAM, for West Africa, left the Mersey 17.
DURHAM CASTLE, from London, arr. Port Natal 16.
EBOE, for Liverpool, left Accra 15.
FANTEE, for Liverpool, left Grand Bassam 16.
GABOON, from London, arrived Teneriffe 15.
HIGHLAND LADDIE, London for the Plate, left Vigo 15.
HOBSON'S BAY, for London, left Brisbane 16.
KNOWSLEY HALL, for Manila, left Singapore 17.
KAISER-I-HIND, for London, left Shanghai 17.
LOCHMONAR, Vancouver for London, arrived San Francisco 15.
MAJESTIC, for New York, left Southampton 17.
MATADOR, from Liverpool, arrived Pernambuco 16.
MARLOCH, for Montreal, left Belfast 12.
MONARCH, for the United Kingdom, left Lagos 14.
MEISSONIER, for London, left Montevideo 16.
NORTONIAN, for Liverpool, left Savannah 15.
NARKUNDA, Bombay for London, called Plymouth 17.
OAKLANDS GRANGE, Buenos Ayres for Antwerp, entered Torbay 17.
ORMONDE, London for Brisbane, left Gibraltar 17.
ORMONDE, from London, arrived Gibraltar 17.
ORVIETO, for London, left Melbourne 16.
PORT HARDY, from London, arrived New York 15.
PORT CHALMERS, from Liverpool, arr. New York 13.
PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT, New York for Bremerhaven, arrived Plymouth 16, and proceeded 17.
PATANI, from London, arrived Lagos 14.
RESOLUTE, Hamburg for New York, and EMPRESS OF FRANCE, Quebec for Hamburg, arrived Southampton 17.
SIRIS, London for Brazil, arrived Lisbon 16.
SPECIALIST, from London, arrived St. Kitts 16.
SANDOWN CASTLE, Beira for London, arrived Marseilles 15.
TAKLIWA, from London, arrived Calcutta 17.
WINIFREDIAN, from Liverpool, arrived Boston 16.
SAXONIA, from London, arrived New York 16.
VASARI, for Liverpool, left St. Vincent 16.
ZENT, from Santa Marta, arrived Hull 16.

Cunard Line Movements.

AQUITANIA left New York yesterday for Southampton via Cherbourg.
ALBANIA left Hamburg yesterday for New York via Southampton and Cherbourg.
VASCONIA left Quebec on Tuesday for London.
VERBANIA left Philadelphia on Tuesday for New York.

DOCKRELL LIMITED, M.I.A.A.

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, 30TH SEPT. AND 1ST NOV.

IMPORTANT BREAK-UP SALE.

We are instructed by Messrs. Thos. Archer (who are concentrating their business in more central premises, and are consequently giving up their large New Wapping Street Yard),

TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

AT NEW WAPPING STREET, NORTH WALL,

THE VERY LARGE BALANCE OF THEIR STOCK, IN TWO AUCTIONS, THE FIRST OF WHICH WILL BE HELD ON THE ABOVE DATES, and will include Stocks of Flooring, Sheetings, Mouldings, Sash Staffs, about 250 Doors, in sizes; a vast and varied quantity of Fireclay Goods, including Chester Bricks, Blocks, Ridge and Flooring Tiles, White Glazed Bricks, Red do., Sewer Pipes, Traps, Junctions, Gulleys, Bends, etc.; Armstrong Junctions, Slates, Fence Posts, and numerous miscellaneous items; some Horses, Ponies, Drays, Lorries and Harness will also be Sold.

THE SECOND AUCTION WILL BE HELD ON A DATE TO BE ADVERTISED IN OCTOBER, and will include the Engineering Plant, Steam Engine and Boiler, Traction Engines, Motor Lorries, Trailers, heavy Timber Wagons, Portable and Semi-portable Engines, Lathes, Saw Benches, Planing Machines, Wood Fibre Machine, etc., etc. The Interest in the Premises will be Sold at the Second Auction. The Yard comprises about 3 acres, about 1 acre of which is covered in with Workshops, Stores, Offices and Stables.

The Catalogues are in preparation, and can be had on application to the AUCTIONEERS.

PROPERTY AUCTION, THURSDAY, 25TH SEPT.,
IN RE JAMES A. HENDERSON, DECEASED.

11 CAMBRIDGE TERRACE, DARTMOUTH SQUARE.

DETACHED. VACANT POSSESSION.

A CONVENIENTLY-SITUATED HOUSE, with good garden, with space for motor garage. The House is at the end of the terrace, and adjoins Dartmouth square; 3 reception rooms, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, hot bath, 2 w.c.'s; kitchen and pantries; electric light throughout. Held for 498 years from 1895, subject to only £2 per annum. R.V. £42. Rates £29 18/-.

Messrs. BROWN and McCANN, Solicitors, Naas, and Anglesea street.

BUNGALOW AT ERSKINE AVENUE, GREYSTONES.

A pretty Detached Bungalow, in a very choice position, standing on ¼ acre of ground; accommodation: Square hall, 3 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms, maid's room, hot bath, tiled kitchen; w.c.; yard and garage; electric light; a very choice holding, within a few minutes' walk of railway station and sea.

TYNDAL and CO., Solicitors, 11 Fleet street.

FURNITURE AUCTION, FRIDAY, SEPT. 26.

6 TEMPLEMORE AVENUE, HIGHFIELD ROAD.

On View on Morning of Sale from 10 o'clock.

DOCKRELL LIMITED. M.I.A.A.,

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,

SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN.

ON VIEW TO-DAY. AUCTION TO-MORROW AT 12.30 O'CLOCK AT

COX'S AUCTION ROOMS, 29 BACHELOR'S WALK,

SUPERIOR DUBLIN-MADE FURNITURE AND PIANOS, ERIC LONGDEN 2-SEATER MOTOR CAR, 10.9 H.P. (1924), PERFECT CONDITION.

Comprising principally:—Complete Furnishing of a Drawingroom in Inlaid Rosewood—viz., 9-piece Suite, covered in stamped silk velvet; Inlaid Rosewood China Cabinet and Overmantel, Lady's Writing Table, Music Cabinet and Coal Vase, all to match; Chesterfield Sets, in pink and blue silk tapestry; three Inlaid Rosewood China and Ormolu-mounted Cabinets, Oval Mahogany and Gilt-framed Mirrors, odd Chesterfields, Couches and Easy Chairs, French Gilt-framed Settee, pair Inlaid Mahogany Drawing-room Arm Chairs; Inlaid Rosewood, Mahogany and Walnut-framed Overmantels; Drawingroom Centre Tables, Lady's Mahogany Writing Table, Burr Walnut Davenports, Carved Oak Writing Table, Oak Pedestal Office Table; 8' x 4' Billiard Table, by Riley, with accessories; Brass Fenders, Fire Brasses and Fender Seats; Pictures and Paintings in variety; 6ft. Mahogany, Walnut and Oak Glass-back Enclosed Sideboards; Inlaid Rosewood and Oak Coal Cabinets; 6ft. Mahogany Pedestal and 5ft. Enclosed Sideboard; Mahogany, Walnut and Oak Screw Dining Tables, in sizes from 6' x 4' to 12' x 5'; Sets of Mahogany, Walnut and Oak-framed Dining Chairs, in Tapestry, Moquette and Leather coverings; 3ft. Mahogany Dumb Waiter, with drawers, 5ft. Oak do.; large Gilt Frame Wareroom Mirror and Console Table, Walnut and Oak Hall Stands, pairs of Mahogany and Oak Hall Chairs, Rosewood and Mahogany Hal. Tables, 5ft. and 7ft. Mahogany Wardrobes, 6ft. Mahogany Glass-door Wardrobe, three Mahogany, Walnut and Burr Walnut Duchess Pairs; Dressing Tables, Bedside Pedestals, Washstands and Toilet Glasses; Bedroom Suites, from 3ft. to 5ft., in Mahogany, Walnut, Oak and Satin Walnut; All-Brass, Black and Brass and Iron Beds, Wires and Hair Mattresses; Deal Bedroom and Kitchen Furniture; Pots, Pans and Culinary Utensils in variety; Carpets and Stair Carpeting, and numerous miscellaneous effects; also Piano, by Brinsmead, London. Auction commences 12.30. Pianos sold 3 o'clock.

JOHN H. COX, F.A.I., AUCTIONEER.

"AVALON," 8 BELGRAVE ROAD, MONKSTOWN,

CLOSE TO SEAPOINT STATION.

SALE OF EXCELLENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND APPOINTMENTS OF THE RESIDENCE.

W. MONTGOMERY and SON are instructed to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES, as above, on THURSDAY NEXT, 25th INSTANT, at 12 Noon sharp, the following Property, comprising briefly:—IRON-FRAMED COTTAGE PIANO, BY HAAKE, HANOVER, IN WALNUT CASE; Chesterfield Suite, in tapestry and covers; Inlaid Mahogany and Walnut Card and Occasional Tables and Chairs, Decorative China, Oil Paintings, Engravings and Prints, Ormolu and Marble Clocks and Ornaments, Mahogany China Cabinet, Antique Brass Bengaree Tray and Stand, 6' 6" elaborately carved Mirror, Set of Dining Chairs, Mahogany Dining Table, Mahogany and Walnut Bookcases, Oak Roll-top Desk, Divan Easy Chairs, in leather and tapestry; Overmantels, All-Brass Curbs and Fire Sets and Screens; "HOOVER" CARPET CLEANER, Grandfather Clock, Inlaid Mahogany and Antique Card Tables, Oak Table, Oak Hall Seat, Palm Stands, Oval Mirror, Inlaid Mahogany and Walnut Bedroom Suites, All-Brass, Oak and Combination Bedsteads and Bedding, Chests Drawers, Chairs, Presses, House and Table Linen; Axminster Floor, Stair and Hall Carpets and Rugs; Brussels and Tapestry Carpets; MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES AND APPOINTMENTS, BY RILEY; Plated Ware, Table Glass and China, Kitchen Furniture, good assortment of Aluminium and Metal Culinary Utensils; WRIGHT'S No. 570 SEVEN LIGHT 30-GALLON CREAM SEPARATOR; Garden Seat, Tools; "CROWN" MANGLE, and Miscellaneous Effects. On View Wednesday Next. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Fees.

Admission to View and Sale by Card only, price 1/- each, which will be refunded to purchasers.

WM. MONTGOMERY & SON, M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS & VALUERS, GAINSBORO' HOUSE,
24 SUFFOLK STREET, DUBLIN.

SALE THIS DAY (IN CONTINUATION), COMMENCING AT 12 O'CLOCK.

AUBURN, MALAHIDE

(ONE MILE FROM RAILWAY STATION).

BENNETT and SON, LIMITED, under instructions from the Representatives of the late Mrs. UPTON MOLYNEUX, will SELL BY AUCTION, on the PREMISES, TO-DAY and TO-MORROW, THE CONTENTS OF THE ABOVE RESIDENCE (as fully advertised).

ORDER OF SALE:—

THIS DAY, SEPTEMBER 18—The Furniture in the Hall, Morning Room, Billiard Room and Library; Household Linen, and Books, and the Contents of two Bedrooms.

TO-MORROW, SEPTEMBER, 19th.—The Contents of the remaining Bedrooms, Kitchen and Basement, Outdoor Effects and Games.

To prevent overcrowding admission by Cards, 1/- each, refunded to buyers. Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. Fees. Refreshments can be obtained at the House.

BENNETT & SON, LIMITED. M.I.A.A.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.
(THE ONLY ADDRESS).

PRELIMINARY NOTICE. IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION.

MESSRS. JAMES HILL and SON will SELL BY AUCTION, in their SALEROOMS, 9 and 10 BACHELOR'S WALK, on SATURDAY NEXT, 20th SEPT., and on FOLLOWING MONDAY (in continuation), commencing at 1 p.m. precisely each day, THE ENTIRE CONTENTS OF A LARGE COUNTRY MANSION, TOGETHER WITH SEVERAL CONSIGNMENTS OF VALUABLE FURNITURE AND APPOINTMENTS FROM OTHER RESIDENCES.

HIGH-CLASS MODERN FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD APPOINTMENTS.

BEDROOM, DRAWING AND DININGROOM FURNITURE IN VARIETY; CARPETS, HEARTH RUGS, PIANOS, HARMONIUM, ORGANS, CHINA, PLATED WARE; VERY MANY ENGRAVINGS, PAINTINGS AND COLOURED PRINTS, and Miscellaneous Effects.

Full particulars in Tomorrow's Advertisement.

JAMES HILL & SON, M.I.A.A.,

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 9 AND 10 BACHELOR'S WALK.

SALE TO-DAY AT 12 O'CLOCK.

44 LEESON PARK.

AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, CARPETS, PIANO, etc., in bright, clean condition, comprising bedroom Mahogany Upright Piano, walnut case; Music Seat, Violin, Inlaid Mah. Stone Front Bureau and Davenport, Inlaid Rolling-leaf Tea and Occasional Tables, Antique Chippendale Card Tables, Settee and Divan Easy Chairs, Occasional Chairs, Brass Fenders, Brasses, and Coal Vase, Flower Pedestals and Pots, Antique Mah. 6ft. Sideboard, Telescope Dining Table and 6 Chippendale Dining Chairs and 2 Carvers, Mah. Overmantel, Oil Paintings, Axminster Room and Stair Carpets, Rugs and Felts; good Linoleums, Curtains, Overmantels, Inlaid Clock, Kitchen Furniture, Culinary Ware, Inlaid Sheraton Mah and Inlaid Fumed Oak Bedroom Suites, with Double and Single Beds to match; 3ft. and 4ft. Mah. Wardrobes, Dressing Tables, Bedside Pedestals, Washstands and Toilet Glasses; Bedroom Suites, from 3ft. to 5ft., in Mahogany, Walnut, Oak and Satin Walnut; All-Brass, Black and Brass and Iron Beds, Wires and Hair Mattresses; Deal Bedroom and Kitchen Furniture; Pots, Pans and Culinary Utensils in variety; Carpets and Stair Carpeting, and numerous miscellaneous effects; also Piano, by Brinsmead, London. Auction commences 12.30. Pianos sold 3 o'clock.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION AT
DROMORE, CO. DOWN,
On SATURDAY, 20th SEPTEMBER, 1924.
At one o'clock p.m.,

VALUABLE Two-storey, Slated, Well Finished DWELLINGHOUSE, with Vacant Possession, situate in the centre of the Town of Dromore, Co. Down, and held for ever free of rent.

For further particulars apply to
WALLACE and CO., Solicitors, Dromore, Co. Down.

GEORGE PRESTON & SON,

Auctioneers,
DROMORE, CO. DOWN.

GREENAN, CO. DOWN.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION, on SATURDAY, 13TH SEPTEMBER, at 3.30 p.m., a Two-storey Slated Dwellinghouse, with byre, stable, conch-house, barn, etc., and 1 acre 2 roods 19 perches of land, held under Fee-Farm Grant. Annual rent, 7/6.

Greenan is situated about two miles from Dromore and four miles from Banbridge.

For further particulars apply to
WALLACE and CO., Solicitors, Dromore, Co. Down.

GEORGE PRESTON & SON,

Auctioneers,
DROMORE, CO. DOWN.

DROMORE, COUNTY DOWN.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION, on SATURDAY, 5th OCTOBER, at 1 o'clock, a Modern-built Shop and Dwellinghouse, in Market Square.

A good Fresher's Business has been carried on for many years. House contains 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, etc. Held for ever. Annual rent £10.

Also a large Yard, containing slaughter and boiling houses, byres, sheds, etc. Held for ever. Annual rent £4 12/6.

For further particulars apply to
WALLACE and CO., Solicitors, Dromore and Banbridge; or

GEORGE PRESTON & SON,

Auctioneers,
DROMORE and BANBRIDGE.

SALLINS ANNUAL SHEEP SALES.

SECOND ANNUAL SALE OF
BROOD EWES, STORE SHEEP, LAMBS, RAMS, &c.,
At SALLINS, on SATURDAY NEXT, SEPT. 20, 11 o'clock.

EDWARD A. COONAN & SON,
Auctioneers.
BAGENALSTOWN, CLONGOWESWOOD, and NAAS.

BATTERSBY & CO.'S SALES.

IMPORTANT PROPERTY AUCTION.

THIS DAY, AT 1.30 O'CLOCK,
AT OUR SALEROOMS, 39 WESTMORELAND STREET, DUBLIN
(AS ALREADY FULLY ADVERTISED).

61 NORTHUMBERLAND ROAD. SEMI-DETACHED. POSSESSION.
"SUMMERHILL," ENNISKERRY. ON 25 ACRES, POSSESSION.
"PALMYRA," VERNON AVENUE, CLONTARF. POSSESSION.
9 GLENARM AVENUE, DRUMCONDRA.
AND THE "HOLLYBANK MOTOR GARAGE." POSSESSION.
14 MOUNT SHANNON ROAD, DOLPHIN'S BARN. POSSESSION
120 & 124 ROCK ROAD, BOOTERSTOWN. POSSESSION No. 120.
5 CROSTHWAITE PARK, W., DUN LAOGHAIRE. POSSESSION,
76 DAME STREET, BUSINESS PREMISES. POSSESSION.

WE HAVE SOLD "IVY BUNGALOW," KILLINEY.

ON VIEW THIS DAY, 10 TO 5 O'CLOCK.

SALE TO-MORROW, AT 12 O'CLOCK.

9 GLENARM AVENUE, DRUMCONDRA.

HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE & EFFECTS, MOTOR CARS, &c.

WE ARE INSTRUCTED TO SELL BY AUCTION ON THE PREMISES, on the above date, the entire Furniture and Effects, all in good condition—viz., Walnut Case Upright Piano (Collard & Collard), Chesterfield Sofa and Divan Chairs in Tapestry, Carved Mahogany Chairs en Suite, Inlaid Mahogany China Cabinet, Antique Brass Inlaid Rosewood Loo Table, Magnificent Carved Mahogany Sideboard with Mirror-panel back and conventional fittings, Mahogany Screw Dining Table on 6 Legs, Suite of Mahogany Chairs in Rexine, Ebonised and Gilt and Mahogany Frame Mantel Mirrors, Brussels Carpets and Stair Carpet, Pictures and Engravings, Best quality Brass and Iron Bedsteads and Bedding, Oak and Satin Walnut Bedroom Suites, Walnut Chest of Drawers, etc. Carved Oak Hall Suite, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, New Oil Cooking Stove, Table Glass and China, also Plated Ware; also Contents of Garage, including:—Bench Vice, Breast Drilling Machine, Bench Drills, Stock and Dies, Foot Pumps, Block and Tackle, Motor Oils, Steel Bin, two Ladies' Bicycles, Anvil, Brazing Lamp, Box and Screw Spanners and lot of Motor Tools, Bench, &c.

MOTORS—Humpbelle Touring Car 1920, 4 Cylinder, 20 H.P., Colonial Model R, Electric Light; Minerva Landaulette 1914, completely overhauled, Electric Light, 4 Cylinder, 14 H.P. Silent Knight Engines. Both cars in perfect running order.

Sale 12 o'clock, Motors 12-30. Admission view and sale by ticket, 1/- Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. fees.

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JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES

TUESDAY NEXT, 23RD SEPTEMBER.

CLONSKEAGH CASTLE, CLONSKEAGH,

ADJOINING THE CITY. Standing upon 36 Acres of Grass Lands. Held for ever, free of rent. Possession to purchaser.

Messrs. A. D. KENNEDY and FIGGIS, Solicitors, 63 Dawson street.

ASHTON PARK, MONKSTOWN.

CHOICE RESIDENTIAL POSITION. Standing upon 22 Acres, Statute measure. Held for the greater portion, under Fee-Farm grant at £62 14/2 per annum. Two newly-built Houses, facing the road, let at £53 4/- per annum, reducing to £44 4/- per annum. POSSESSION.

Messrs. WHITE and WHITE, Solicitors, 13 Upper Ormond quay.

19 & 21 BRIDGE STREET, LOWER.

NEWLY-BUILT BUSINESS HOUSES. Lease 270 years. Sold subject to £16 per annum each. W.R. to be Sold separately.

Messrs. CATHCART and HEMPHILL, Solicitors, Ely Place.

A DESIRABLE SEMI-DETACHED RESIDENCE, ELECTRIC LIGHT, GARAGE, SIDE ENTRANCE.

ROSEVALE, SUTTON.

ELECTRIC TRAM LINE, FACING SEA, CONVENIENT TO RAILWAY STATION.
Contains 8 apartments, bathroom (hot and cold water), bay windows; Vartry water, etc.

THOMAS EARLY, Solicitor, 16 Henry street.

SALE OF FURNITURE THIS DAY AT 12 O'CLOCK. GLENBOURNE, SANDYFORD.

HAVING Sold the House, we are instructed to SELL THE HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE, SILVER PLATED WARE, CHINA AND GLASS.

69 MERRION SQUARE.

SALE TUESDAY NEXT, 23RD SEPTEMBER,

HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE AND APPOINTMENTS.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,

AUCTIONEERS & VALUERS, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

SALE TO-DAY, 1 O'CLOCK.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE—IN BANKRUPTCY.
RE ELLEN DUGGAN, 69 MIDDLE ABBEY STREET, DUBLIN, BANKRUPT, AND
RE KELSH, CARRICK-ON-SUIR, BANKRUPT
SALE OF STOCK OF MILLINERY, COATS, DRESSES, LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S AND BOYS' AND GIRLS' BOOTS AND SHOES, ETC., ETC.

WM. MONTGOMERY & SON ARE INSTRUCTED BY A. G. HOLLINSHEAD, ESQ., OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE, PURSUANT TO ORDER OF THE COURT, TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES, 24 SUFFOLK STREET,

RE ELLEN DUGGAN, BANKRUPT:—

Ladies' Silk Blouses, Jumpers, Corsets, Gloves, Underclothing, Hats, Evening Frocks, Coats, Stockings, etc.

RE R. WALSH, BANKRUPT:—

Ladies' and Gent.'s, Men's and Women's Boots and Shoes, Boys' and Girls' Boots and Shoes, Children's Shoes. House Slippers, Leggings, Boot Polishes. Numerous Pairs of "Little Duke" Boys' School Boots. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. fees.

A. G. HOLLINSHEAD, Esq., Official Assignee, Law Courts, Dublin Castle.

W. MONTGOMERY & SON, M.I.A.A., AUCTIONEERS & VALUERS,
24 SUFFOLK STREET, DUBLIN.

600 STORE CATTLE,

At 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN,
ON THIS DAY,
At 11 o'clock.

GAVIN LOW, LTD.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE

Of
180 PEDIGREE SHORTHORN, REGISTERED DAIRY SHORTHORN, HEREFORD-ANGUS AND HEREFORD COWS, HEIFERS and CALVES,
At 50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN,
On THURSDAY, 25th SEPTEMBER, 1924,
At 12 o'clock.

The Sale includes excellent specimens of the three breeds from the leading herds in Ireland, and a draft of about 20 head of the Clonard Shorthorns. Mr. Harrington Jellett having decided to reduce its numbers.

About 30 Dairy Shorthorns with great milk records are also included, comprising some notable yieldiers from Captain T. A. Clarke's famous Fatran herd of Registered Dairy Shorthorns and others.

Catalogues on application.

GAVIN LOW, LTD., M.I.A.A.,
50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

BREEDING EWES, STORE SHEEP AND LAMBS,

THIRD SALE
IN DUBLIN CATTLE MARKET,
On FRIDAY, 26th SEPTEMBER, 1924.
Entries Invited.

GAVIN LOW, LTD., M.I.A.A.,
50 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

FOR SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY—45 Cocks well saved Old Meadow Hay, at Auburn, Malahide. Apply

GAVIN LOW, LTD.

TUBBERMACLUGG FARM, LUCAN, CO. DUBLIN.

SUBSCRIBER is instructed by Hugh E. Barr, Esq., to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2nd, 1924, at the CITY ARMS HOTEL, PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN, at One o'clock p.m., his Farm known as TUBBER, LUCAN, containing 64a. 3r. 20p., Statute measure, and subject to the terminable annuity of £54 10/6.

The Lands are of good quality, and arranged in suitable fields, well fenced and watered. About 42 acres are under aftercrops, 16 permanent grass seeds, 5 acres manured after potatoes, 8 acres stubbles after late oats, and remainder old pasture, of which one field (3 acres) is let for grazing to 1st December next.

There is a good Dwelling-house, bungalow type, containing 5 sitting and 4 bedrooms, kitchen, bathroom, etc.; w.c.

Out-offices comprise stabling 5 horses, sheds 20 cattle, garage, coal-house, store, etc., and two hay barns.

The Farm is situate within 10 minutes' walk of Lucan Station, and 2 miles from Lucan Junction Railway Station, Great Southern and Western, or Leixlip, Midland Great Western Railway.

For further particulars apply to
WALLACE and CO., Solicitors for Vendor, 25 Westmoreland street, Dublin; or to

J. N. WARDELL,
Auctioneer and Valuer,
CELBRIDGE.

SALES BY TENDER.

THE ADMIRALTY have available for Immediate Disposal, at H.M. Dockyard, Chatham, the Store Carrier, "INDUSTRY" (late "Tay and Tyne").

Brief particulars of this vessel are as follow:—Built by the Dundee Shipbuilding Co., Ltd., in 1909.

Length between perpendiculars, 180ft. 3ins.
Breadth, extreme, 26ft. 1in.
Depth in hold, 13ft. 4in.
Nominal displacement, 1162 tons at mean draft of 13ft. 11ins.
Engines: Vertical Triple Expansion Engine, 600 I.H.P.
2 Boilers; 1 main, 1 auxiliary.
Four Cargo Winches, three Derricks, one Dynamo.
The vessel is for disposal without restrictions as to sale abroad.
Detailed particulars, together with Conditions of Sale and Form of Tender, may be obtained upon application to the Director of Navy Contracts, Admiralty, Room 61a, Princes House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, to whom all offers to purchase (due at Admiralty on 7th October, 1924) should be submitted.

THE BEST WEEK-END PAPER FOR DUBLIN
People is the "WEEKLY IRISH TIMES."
Last Edition on Sale every Saturday Morning
Price Twopence.

HOUSES AND LANDS.

DOCKRELL LIMITED,

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS
OF ALL CLASSES OF PROPERTY.
HOUSES AND LANDS SOLD AND LET.

Ailesbury Park—FOR SALE, MODERN WELL-BUILT SEMI-DETACHED RESIDENCE, two storeyed, non-basement, containing pretty hall, 2 charming reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, maid's room, hot bath, electric light, garden, etc. Apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

Ballsbridge (Close to R Dublin Society)—FOR SALE, SEMI-DETACHED HOUSE, well-built, modern, and without basement; 3 reception, 6 bedrooms, maid's room, hot bath, electric light, garden, etc. Apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

Killiney—7¼ acres—HANDSOME RESIDENCE FOR SALE, close to station; free of all rent; 4 reception, 7 bedrooms, 4 servants' rooms, hot bath; tennis ground and motor house; lovely views. Apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

Delgany—12 acres—PRETTY NON-BASEMENT RESIDENCE FOR SALE, on high ground, enjoying delightful views; close to links and easy distance of Greystones Station; 3 reception, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, hot bath, office, gate lodge and cottage; lease 999 years; head rent £22; taxes low; price £1,700. Apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

DOCKRELL LIMITED,
STH. GT. GEORGE'S STREET.

FOR SALE,
DRAPERY AND MILLINERY BUSINESS
IN GOOD SUBURBAN AREA OF BELFAST.
MODERATE CAPITAL REQUIRED.
Apply to
OUGHTON, BOYD & CO.,
Incorporated Accountants,
6 ARTHUR STREET, BELFAST.

BUSINESS FOR SALE AS A GOING CONCERN.
LARGE DRAPERY AND MILLINERY BUSINESS, in good market town, Midlands, Irish Free State; best position; all departments stocked for season; immediate possession; owner retiring. Address: "Z 2236, DRAPERY," THIS OFFICE.

Hat and Scarf, as sketch, in Duvetours, 3½ Gns.

Slyne & Co. Ltd.
71 Grafton Street.

HOUSES AND LANDS FOR SALE.

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